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GC mall planned

By SUSAN SIGNAIGO-WEICH
Staff writer

GRANITE CITY — Plans to build a \$7.5 million shopping center downtown were proposed by City Coordinator Alan Orbals Tuesday night.

The suggested shopping center would be built on a two-square-block area between 18th and 19th Streets and Delmar Avenue and State Street.

THE 150,000-square-foot shopping center would house 40 businesses and provide parking spaces for 800 vehicles.

The developer of the center would attempt to attract such businesses as clothing stores and medium-priced restaurants, Orbals said.

Along with the retail center, Orbals also recommended that a 37,000-square-foot retail center be developed in the 2000 block of Madison Avenue. This center would be play-backed to the McDonald's Restaurant which will be built in that block sometime this year.

IN ADDITION, a 40,000-square-foot office park would be developed in the 1900 block of Grand Avenue. This office park would allow the city to cease the conversion of Madison

Avenue property from residential to commercial.

Other recommendations include:

- Establishing specific boundaries for the downtown area.
- Starting improvements such as new sidewalks, benches, trees and street lighting.
- Highlighting the area with banners and entrance markers.
- Renovating the remaining property in the redevelopment area within a specified time frame.
- Adopting a sign ordinance and design standards for the area, with set compliance periods. (More information on the downtown redevelopment plan is on Page three).

ORBALS SAID the project could be financed through an Urban Development Action Grant (UDAG) and Tax Increment Financing (TIF).

The UDAG would be used to finance acquisition of the properties which would be redeveloped and also to finance their demolition.

The site then would be sold to a developer at an attractive interest rate and term, Orbals said.

THE TIF WOULD be used to pay public improvement costs in the redevelopment area.

Orbals stressed the TIF would not result in increased taxes to taxpayers. The cost is borne by the increased real estate and sales tax revenues that result from the improvements.

"We'll be making improvements without using taxpayers' dollars," he said. "It seems fantastic, but it's true."

ORBALS SAID HE realized there might be some skepticism among aldermen since his plan represents the fifth one made for the downtown area.

"The problem with the four previous studies was that nothing was done about them after the recommendations were made," he said. "We're going to follow up this plan."

If all goes well, Orbals said, local shoppers could be using the downtown shopping center by Christmas of 1987 or Easter of 1988.

ORBALS' PRESENTATION was met with applause from the City Council and those in attendance at the meeting.

"I find it extremely refreshing to see the cooperation between the Chamber of Commerce and the council," said Alderman Paul Fisk, 3rd Ward.

MESD loses workmen's comp

By SUSANNE INDELICATO
Staff writer

GRANITE CITY — Workmen's compensation insurance is being sought by the Metro-East Sanitary District, and the district probably will go to an assigned risk pool to obtain workmen's compensation, it was related Wednesday.

Intercontinental Insurance Co. is the latest insurance company to

notify the MESD that it would not be renewing the district's insurance policy. The workmen's compensation policy expires Sunday, Jan. 12.

THE DISTRICT paid \$26,000 for workmen's compensation insurance during the past year. A new policy obtained through the risk pool could cost as much as \$30,000, said Ed English, insurance broker with Charles Crane Agency Co. in St. Louis.

Intercontinental did not renew MESD, English said, because of a national insurance crisis and because of a projected loss ratio of 237 percent for MESD.

In other words, he said, the cost of filed claims is projected to cost 2.37 times the cost of the premium.

A RISK POOL would assign an insurance provider to MESD, English said.

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Wydra new head of port authority

The Tri-City Regional Port District's Board of Commissioners has announced the appointment of Robert Wydra, 49, as general manager of the Port District, effective Jan. 1, 1986.

Wydra has been employed by the Port District since August 1982 as assistant general manager and manager of St. Louis Metropolitan Area Foreign Trade Zone 31 and 31A.

Prior to Wydra's employment with the Port District, he was director of planning for the Southwestern Illinois Metropolitan and Regional Planning Commission.

WYDRA ALSO SERVED with the American Peace Corps for two years in a community and economic development program prior to his 14 years of employment with Southwestern Planning Commission.

He is president of the Illinois Association of Port Districts and a board member of the Tri-Cities Area Chamber of Commerce.

Wydra earned his bachelor's degree from Southern Illinois University in Edwardsville as well as a master's degree in urban and regional planning and development.

He is married to Kay Wydra and has two children, Nicole, 14, and Paul, 9.

CARL A. RANFT, the Port District's general manager until now, expects to retire in October 1986 from his longtime service with the district.

"In order to guarantee a smooth and effective transition of port management, Carl will continue to serve on the port staff on a part-time

basis as director of marketing and port development," a spokesman said.

One of the original port board members when the district was created in 1959, Ranft became general manager in 1966. He is regarded as the principal leader in guiding the port district through "its first 25 years of successful development," the spokesman said.

"Carl has held many leadership positions in port and inland water industry organizations."

RANFT IS CHAIRMAN of the board and one of the founders of the Inland River Ports and Terminals, and a member of the executive committee of the National Waterways Conference. Both are national organizations representing the river industry.

He also is a member of many other organizations representing the transportation industry.

Robert Wydra



Robert Wydra

Party continues after man robbed; murder follows

What started out as a party ended in murder Dec. 30. Meanwhile, authorities still are looking for the body of Clifford D. Potts, 30, of South St. Louis.

TWO LOCAL residents have been charged with Potts' murder. They are Charles A. Thompson, 27, of 1988 Rhodes St., Madison, and Pamela J. Wiley, 22, of 4308 Kirkpatrick Homes. In addition, the pair was charged with arson and armed robbery.

Potts was drinking with the suspects in an apartment on Second Street in Madison before he was killed, authorities believe.

"They made their own party," said Granite City Police Chief Paul Harris. "They drank at a residence, and then they drank while they drove around in the car."

AFTER THE GROUP had been driving for awhile, Thompson and Wiley allegedly robbed Potts at knifepoint, officials said.

"There is nothing in the report to indicate that Potts was stabbed with the knife or injured in any way (previous to the murder)," Harris said. "In fact, they continued drinking together after the robbery."

Later, the group went to the Chain of Rocks Canal and Thompson and Wiley hit Potts over the head with one of the large rocks along the canal. It is contended. The two then dragged his body into the water, it is alleged.

POTTS' AUTO, a 1980 Dodge Aspen, was found on Dec. 30 by local police. The car's rear window was

blackened from smoke and there were pieces of clothing in the gasoline tank.

Since the killing occurred, divers from the Bubblemasters Underwater Recovery Team have unsuccessfully searched the Chain of Rocks Canal on two separate occasions for Potts' body. Their efforts have been hampered by the large amount of ice in the water.

Thompson and Wiley are being held in the Madison County Jail in lieu of \$250,000 bond each. Wiley has been in custody since Dec. 31 in connection with the murder, while Thompson was taken into custody Jan. 3 in Kansas City.

PUBLIC RECORDS SHOW Thompson was on probation at the time of the incident. In June 1984, Thompson was sentenced to five



Charles Thompson

years' probation after pleading guilty to a Granite City charge of residential burglary.

Thompson has been served a probation revocation warrant, and the



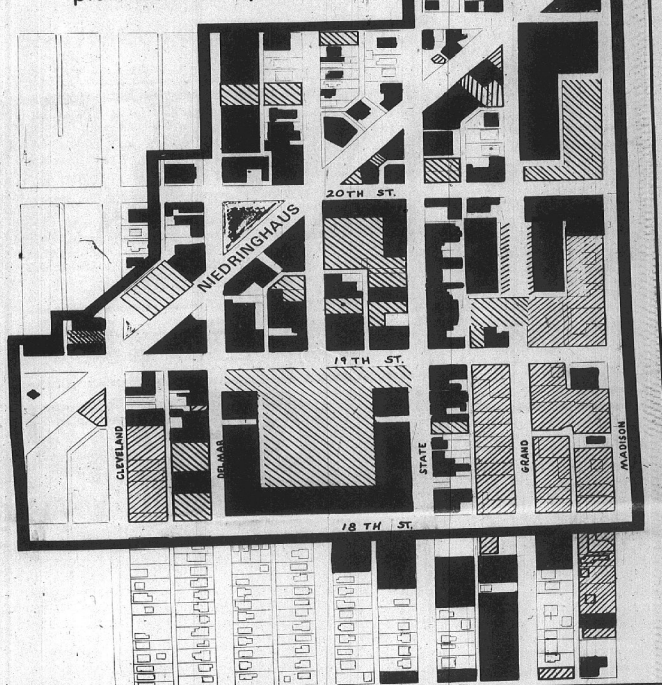
Pamela Wiley

bond on that charge was set at \$75,000, officials said.

Thompson was arrested in 1981 on charges of fighting, aggravated assault and battery.

Legend

- Diagonal lines from left top to bottom denote parking lots
- Red areas mark planned developments



A NEW LIFE is planned for downtown Granite City. The plans are outlined in red in the above map. At the center bottom is a large red U-shaped area which represents a planned shopping center. At the upper right, is the red graphic showing the coming McDonald's Restaurant and a strip shopping center behind it. Just below the strip center is another red graphic representing an office complex planned on Grand Avenue. See accompanying articles on Pages one and three.

Venice turns down cable hike

By VALERIE EVENDEN
Staff writer

VENICE — "I think we ought to go on record tonight with our decision on the cable television company's request for an 18 percent raise in the rates," Mayor Tyrone Echols said to City Council members Tuesday night. They rejected the request.

"Personally, I am opposed to it," 3rd Ward Alderman John Ervin said, speaking of the proposed increase in the cost of basic cable TV service.

ERVIN OFFERED a motion denying the request and it received unanimous support from the remaining seven aldermen.

"The same response has been deemed also by surrounding communities and I will forward our decision to Mr. (William W.) Roughly at South-Western Cable," Echols said.

Requests for similar increases in

basic cable service rates were rejected earlier by elected officials in Granite City, Madison and Ponton Beach.

ROUGHLY, general manager of South-Western Cable TV Ltd., presented a proposal at the Dec. 23 meeting of the City Council seeking to raise Venice's current basic rate of \$8 each month to \$9.45 monthly.

In accord with the franchise agreement, the cable firm may increase its basic rate 5 percent without council approval, but may raise rates for premium channels without a limit.

Growing expense in providing basic cable programming and increased emphasis on preventive maintenance were among the cost factors cited by Roughly in seeking the bigger increase.

QUESTIONING another aspect of the city's agreement with South-

Western, 4th Ward Alderman Victor Valentine Sr. asked, "Whatever happened to the free cable service to be provided in the council chambers and the schools? Wasn't this in the contract?"

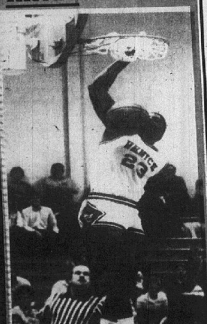
"Yes, that's my understanding," Echols replied. The mayor wasn't sure if the Venice schools had been furnished with cable service, he said.

It was noted, however, that a TV set is necessary in order to obtain the free service, which is available to public buildings under the franchise.

"Does the council wish to obtain a TV so the cable company can hook us up?" Echols inquired.

On a motion offered by Valentine, the aldermen voted unanimously to purchase a television set for the City Hall.

Thursday Inside



JESSE HALL, a guard for the Venice High School basketball team was named athlete of the month by the Press-Record. For details, see Page 2D.

City program needs volunteers See Page 5A

Storytime hour begins Jan. 16 See Page 1B

Groups oppose animal sales See Page 3B

Deaths

Ella Crabtree
Marvin 'Dud' Elmore
Carmelita 'Pete' Melton
Hester Shelton
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Summer jobs offered at Carlyle Lake

The Carlyle Lake management office has announced that nine positions, funded by the federal Stay-In-School Program, will be available on the lake's ranger staff for the summer recreation period.

Work will be available in two programs, visitor assistance and interpretation. Visitor assistance personnel assist the ranger patrol staff in monitoring public use of recreation

areas, enforcing Engineer Corps regulations, and related work. Interpretation consists of campground evening programs, tours, water safety programs and related presentations.

Applicants must be full-time college students and must meet economic criteria established by the Illinois Job Service. Each must obtain certification of eligibility from a Job Service office. Current certification of full-time status from the appropriate school's registrar is also required.

Application forms (SF 171) are available from any U.S. government office. For further details, Roger Hayes or Brad Laaker may be called at Carlyle Lake (394-2885).

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Summer 4-H hiring at Jacksonville camp

Western Illinois 4-H Camp at Jacksonville is now accepting applications for the 1986 camping season. Positions available are: assistant camp Director, minimum age 21; program directors in recreation, nature and crafts, with minimum age of 19 or 18 with two years prior experience in camp staff training or kitchen helper programs; first-aid person or nurse, minimum age 20; waterfront, minimum age 21; and lifeguard, minimum age 19 (with current certification or senior lifesaving).

Kitchen aides and camp staff trainees, minimum age 16, are also needed. Kitchen positions as cooks are available.

The work schedule would be Monday through Friday, June 2 to Aug. 17, 1986, with some weekends worked. Teachers, college students, older 4-Hers, and others are being encouraged to apply, and all applications will be considered. The jobs include salary plus room and board. Application forms may be obtained by writing to Western Ill. 4-H Camp, RR 5, Jacksonville, Ill. 62650, and applicants are to specify position(s) sought. The application deadline is Feb. 1, 1986, according to Shirley Mills, 4-H and youth adviser at the Madison County Extension Office, 1-656-8400.



DeMOLAY INITIATES, receive initiatory and DeMolay degrees at official ceremonies conducted in the Granite City Masonic Temple. From left is Kenneth W. Britt Jr., Scott Wilson of O'Fallon, and Charlie R. Britt. The Britt brothers are now members of the local chapter while Wilson was inducted in the O'Fallon organization.

James Stuart Chapter enrolls two members

Charlie R. Britt and Kenneth W. Britt Jr., sons of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth W. Britt, became members of the James Stuart Chapter, Order of DeMolay, when they received their initiatory and DeMolay degrees along with Scott Wilson of O'Fallon.

The initiatory degree was conferred by officers of the chapter at the Granite City Masonic Temple with the assistance of DeMolays from O'Fallon and Alton.

The DeMolay degree team included Paul Brandt Jr., marshal of commission; Mark Cotter and Bobby Whitford, marshal guards; James Wright, master inquisitor; Gregory Stipes, senior inquisitor; George Cockrell of Alton, junior inquisitor; B. Edward Bodman Jr., senior guard; Keith Payne, orator; Hiram Ables, DeMolay; Terry Cory, Guy of Avergne; Mike Fey of O'Fallon; Hugh De Peralde; Eric Krenis of O'Fallon; Godfrey De Gonville; and Terry Perrin, lord constable.

During a business meeting following, it was announced that a nine o'clock interpolation would be given for officer installations of Masonic Triple Lodge 835 and Granite City Masonic Lodge 877.

The DeMolays participated in Illinois DeMolays' "canes for kiddies" Masonic charities drive this month at National Food Store, Schnucks Store and Belleville Reese Drug Store.

Presented collected at the meeting were taken to the Shriners' Hospital for Crippled Children on Dec. 23. The annual "sweetheart dance" was set for Dec. 28.

Walmley campaign dance here Saturday

A dance to aid Gilbert Walmley's campaign for the regional superintendent of schools nomination is set for 8 p.m. to midnight Saturday, Jan. 11, at the Knights of Columbus hall on Old Alton Road.

Admission is \$10 per person, and there will be a band and refreshments. Walmley is principal of Granite City High School. His campaign committee is led by Fred "Pat" Schuman.

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One person per elected position

"Dividing time between two public payrolls isn't as much of a problem on the local level, perhaps, as it is on the state level.

Maybe that's because state legislators are paid far more money than an alderman, a park board member, a school board member, a county board member, etc.

But we still find it questionable that one person should be allowed to hold several elected offices. Our reason has little to do with the money involved in holding local offices. The concern is the public would be better served if there were more persons with more views represented.

Furthermore, a conflict of interest potentially exists when a person who is an alderman is involved by virtue of his office in contractual agreements with another public entity where he is also a public official.

"It is clear that a person cannot represent the interests of both government units when these units contract with each other," according to a recent opinion of the Illinois Office of the Attorney General in a case where an alderman is also a school board member.

As it stands, however, any challenge to an official holding more than one elected position must be made

in court. The time and money involved in court action are prohibitive and the outcome unclear.

Thus, on the local level, little is likely to be done by individuals in cases of politicians wearing two or more hats.

But something can be done by local government. A person can be stopped from holding two elected posts. Cities can determine if they will allow one person to hold more than one office. If a city council desires, it can pass a measure to stop a person from wearing two political hats.

If such a measure passed it should carry a stipulation that it take effect in the next election, to be fair to the council member who holds two or more public offices.

Of course, the many possible entanglements in such a rule would take the mind of an attorney to unravel. But in the interests of assuring diverse opinions in the political arena, avoiding potential conflicts of interest, stopping one person from drawing two public salaries and in some potential cases two or more public pensions, we believe area city councils should restrict their members to holding only one public office.

'Double dipping' should cease

The many causes and crusades of Pat Quinn, a candidate in the 1986 Democratic state treasurer primary, include a continuing drive against "double dipping."

Founding father of the Illinois Coalition for Political Honesty and a principal aide when Daniel Walker was governor, Quinn hopes to obtain a legislative ban against holding two or more governmental positions simultaneously. It would be a worthwhile step for the General Assembly.

In particular, he opposes state legislators themselves holding "highly paid city and county jobs" while also serving as lawmakers. The practice is said to be prevalent mainly in the Chicago area but also exists Downstate (not in this district, however).

As Quinn sees it, "With \$46,000 Illinoisans on unemployment rolls and thousands more hard-pressed to make ends meet, it's a scandal that 21 Illinois legislators are permitted to be on two public payrolls, also drawing credits for two public pensions. In the past year alone, the 21 were budgeted to receive more than \$700,000 in salaries from local governments."

"Double dipping is a classic example of the truly greedy taking money from the truly needy," Quinn budgeted for political double dippers in 1985 would be enough to put 30 more policemen on the street, to support 253 kids at day care centers, or to provide winter shelter to 2,232 homeless people.

GC Downtown plan worthy goal

There's finally a realistic solution for the problems of Granite City's downtown business district.

City Coordinator Alan Orbital, Mayor Von Dee Cruse, Chamber Executive Vice President R C Bush and Henry Bieneniecki are among those who have developed and support a plan to revitalize the area.

The group deserves a pat on its collective back for looking at downtown and come to the marvelous conclusion that before action to rectify the situation could be taken a study ought to be done. And then a study was done.

The process of seeking a study, getting a study and doing nothing occurred four times at a cost of thousands in the past two decades. Plans for downtown part because the City Council and some merchants seemed to be at odds.

Then came Cruse, And Orbital, and Bush and Bieneniecki and others, including a more cooperative group of aldermen and merchants. They began doing more than simply looking at what downtown needs. They decided how to fix it.

The downtown shopping center is an excellent idea. In a two-block area, ample parking along with up to 40 new shops are planned. The expected upswing in commercial activity should be an incentive for owners of

Granite City's stately buildings to improve them.

The shopping center plan is a reasonable, workable plan deserving public support because it calls for increased spending in this area rather than for dividing the same amount of money among more hands. Under the plan, the new shopping center would complement rather than compete against the Namekiki Road business district.

Downtown's shopping center would offer goods and services not found on Namekiki Road, say plan supporters. Distinctive offerings downtown would help break the hometown crowd spending their money here rather than out of town. Each year, \$54 million is spent by Quad Citizens in other communities. Unanswered is whether or not investors in the multi-million project will be found. But Orbital is confident, based on successes in other cities, that investors will come forward when they see statistics showing the spending power of Quad Citizens.

After years of moaning, it's great that somebody has finally taken the bull by the horns and acted on a viable solution to downtown's problems.

In Granite City, we can be proud to know that our community leaders have rolled up their sleeves and are hard at work to make this a better city in which to live.

Thanks to Secretary Schultz

The refusal by Secretary of State George Schultz to take a polygraph test, and his statement that "the minute in this government I am told that I'm not trusted is the day I leave," said it all for thousands of loyal government employees who have been caught up in Washington's spy hysteria.

Under the President's policy on fighting espionage with polygraph tests, even Cabinet officers might be required to take lie-detector examinations. After Schultz's revolt it was explained that only officials ac-

tually suspected of espionage would be subject to the tests.

Why can't that be refined to include only government employees who are under suspicion? Now, in the CIA and Defense Departments the test is routinely administered on the theory it will deter would-be spies. In other words, everyone is under suspicion. The government thus insults the integrity of everyone.

Editor and Publisher
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Rules, habits sometimes hamper traffic flow

To the Editor:
Pat Foley's comments on traffic rules in the Jan. 5 Press-Record/Journal, "Some drivers need refresher traffic rules," reminds us of other abused traffic rules. First, let us try to answer some of Pat's comments.

Some of us fail to note our signals are still on after we make a turn because of hearing loss, and we fail to hear the click until we note the blinking light on the drivers' side. Failure of some drivers to go on green is an aggravation but not as scary as the go-on-red people, and the Namekiki-Johnson roads intersection is a hot spot for them.

Maybe it's the go-on-red drivers who make some drivers slow in moving on green. Pat could find it interesting to stop at the high school crossing light to take some pictures

and interview students and drivers during lunch breaks and school dismissal time.

At the Granite City Steel plant entrance on Madison Avenue, we have a signal light to protect employees going to work. Also, on 20th Street, this is due to the death of one man struck by a motorist.

We often have to sit and wait for this light to turn green while no one is in sight. On the other hand, we do not provide the same protection to children at school crossings. Crossing guards are at some points, and I have seen them step out in front of oncoming traffic, as if they thought their stop sign could bring any vehicle to an immediate halt.

A stop-on-red signal at plant entrances should provide required protection and also much the same where school children are crossing

and where guards cannot be provided.

Another minor problem is the numerous stop signs which most drivers go through with a touch on the brake pedal if no one is in sight. Those in a hurry don't pause at all. Some signs are a must, while most are there to please a resident in the area. I wonder if the citizen who requested the stop sign obeys it. Speed limits must and should be obeyed, but how many of you driving on Maryville Road at the posted limit have found everyone else passing you by? To stay at 25 miles per hour you almost have to ride the brake pedal. Madison Avenue is a speed limit, I believe, is 35.

We enjoy Pat's comments and hope to see more of them.

JOSEPH BIENIECKI
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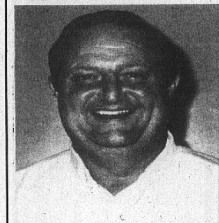
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Should persons hold more than one office?

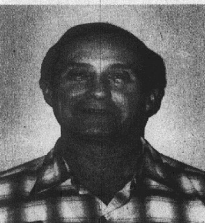
Do you think persons should be allowed to hold more than one elected office at one time?

Readers React



Robert D. Bell, Granite City

"I believe a person should be allowed to hold more than one office, if only one of the positions is paid. For instance, I think being both a precinct committeeman and an alderman is OK. But being an alderman and a county board member, or an alderman and a school board member should not be permitted. These positions are too time-consuming and too controversial."



Charlie Bernaix, Granite City

"I don't feel that anyone should hold more than one office. It gives people too much power — the power should be divided up. I don't know how people feel they can do the job right if they hold more than one office."



Alex Toth, Granite City

"I don't feel you should hold more than one office because you're concentrating too much of the same train of thought on problems. Also, holding more than one office leads to too much nepotism and job patronage. This in turn, leads to inefficiencies in departments, because you're not getting the best qualified people for the jobs."

The Forum...

Our readers respond

Name and address: must accompany each letter but will not be revealed if anonymity is requested. Communications of less than 250 words will be given preference. All are subject to condensation and grammatical changes. Those libelous or not in good taste will be rejected or edited.

Successful Tree of Lights drive spread joy

To the Editor:

Each Christmas, hundreds of families in the Granite City area are assured of a traditional Christmas dinner and at least one new toy and one used toy for each child in the family.

All of this is because of the communitywide Christmas event, sponsored by The Salvation Army and supported by hundreds of volunteers.

Capt. Stephen L. Kiger, local commanding officer of The Salvation Army, reports that as of Dec. 31, 1985, a total of \$55,573 had been raised,

thereby exceeding the goal of \$50,000.

"The much needed funds," said Capt. Kiger, "were used to bring food and toys to 188 families representing 1,000 people."

Food baskets distributed in the week before Christmas contained meat, two vegetables, potatoes, bread, flour, sugar, cranberry sauce, fruit, butter and a turkey.

Fruit and gifts were also distributed in seven area nursing homes, bringing a touch of Christmas cheer to more than 700 persons.

As Capt. Kiger has said, "The peo-

ple of our community have again distinguished themselves by their giving spirit and determination to bring the true meaning of Christmas to those less fortunate."

I am voting thanks to Capt. and Mrs. Kiger, all the members of The Salvation Army Advisory Board, the volunteers, and especially Don W. Kassing, the chairman of the Tree of Lights campaign. I extend to all our heartfelt thanks and a wish for a joyous new year.

RICHARD SUESS
Chairman,
1985 Salvation Army
Advisory Board

Cold weather can be a real cold killer

To the Editor:

Traditionally, winter is a time to stay warm by the hearth. But for an increasing number, winter has instead become a season of outdoor sports such as Alpine and cross-country skiing.

Many people, however, are not conditioned to the physical stress of outdoor activities and are unaware of the potential dangers of being outdoors in cold weather. When winter sports enthusiasts fail to take certain precautions, the result can be accidental hypothermia.

Hypothermia is a drop in body temperature. It is a potentially fatal condition, and the cause of death in most cases of hypothermia is heart failure.

A large group, especially the elderly and those with heart disease, are at special risk. As people get older, the efficiency of their bodies' thermostats frequently decreases. Elderly people can actually begin to suffer the effects of hypothermia without knowing they are in danger. People with coronary heart disease frequently suffer attacks of chest pain called angina pectoris when they are cold. In fact, in a snowstorm. Some studies suggest harsh winter weather may increase a person's risk of heart attack due to overexertion.

Lower temperatures, your heart tolerates less exertion because your body reacts to cold by constricting the small arteries. This natural response reduces loss of body heat by keeping more of your warm blood in the major arteries, and away from the skin surface. The net effect of this blood flow

restriction is to convert your skin from a radiator that dissipates heat, into a blanket that conserves it. But when this occurs, your heart must work harder to pump blood through the narrowed arteries.

The extra load on the heart decreases its capacity to respond to exercise. The small arteries around your heart constrict, too, reducing the supply of oxygen-containing blood to your heart muscle. When outdoors in cold weather, avoid sudden exertion, like lifting a heavy shovel full of snow. In cold temperatures, even just walking through heavy, wet snow or snowdrifts can strain your heart.

High winds, snow, rain and cold temperatures are all factors that can steal your body heat.

Wind is especially important because it removes the layer of air your body has heated around you. At 30 degrees Fahrenheit in a 29-mile-per-hour wind, the cooling effect is equivalent to calm air at four degrees.

Proper clothing is vital to keeping warm. It is best to layer your clothing — this allows air to become trapped between the layers, and the trapped air serves as a sort of insulation.

Wear a hat and a scarf. Much of the body's heat can be lost through the head. And ears are especially susceptible to frostbite.

Keep your hands and feet warm, too. Because hands and feet have more surface area in comparison to their total mass, they tend to lose heat rapidly.

Don't drink alcoholic beverages before going outside or while out in the cold. The initial sensation of warmth from alcohol results from expansion of blood vessels in the skin. This causes needed heat to be drawn away from the body's vital organs.

Most importantly, have enough sense to come in out of the cold.

RANDY RYLE
American Heart
Association of Illinois

Thinks cable TV too costly

To the Editor:

I wish to thank the City Council for its rejection of the cable TV increase.

As a past customer of South Western Cable TV, I was dissatisfied with all the old movies and cartoons which were costing about \$25 a month.

Channel 11 and Channel 30 give just as good service but without the cost.

With the \$25 cable fee, I purchased a VCR (video cassette recorder) and rent the movie of my choice.

The local VCR rentals are very reasonable, and at the \$25 cable fee, it only takes about 12 months to purchase a good VCR.

Thanks again to the City Council for its service.

JOE MATYAS
2333 Orville Ave.

City starts volunteer program

By SUSAN SIGNA-GO-WEICH
Staff writer

GRANITE CITY — A program aimed at gaining part-time volunteers for city office work was announced by Mayor Von Dee Cruse Friday.

The program, known as Citizens Vitrally Interested in their City, or CIVIC, will also use volunteers for special city projects.

CRUSE EMPHASIZED CIVIC is not being instituted to take jobs away from the city staff, but to help workers perform their jobs better.

It was noted that the city has used volunteers for various city functions, such as the Plan Commission and the Board of Appeals, for many years.

Henry Bleniek, assistant to the mayor, said the volunteer program will fill in "deficiencies" in city departments where additional help

is needed but cannot be afforded. "Even if a position is justified in a department, there are no new positions budgeted," he said.

BIENIECKI ADDED there are several special projects the city would like to start — for instance, landscaping with trees.

"But economic times are hard and we couldn't justify hiring someone to the taxpayers," he said. "If someone were to volunteer to do the work, it would be great."

The idea for the volunteer program was taken from similar programs in Kettering, Ohio, and Frederick, Md.

THE PROGRAM could be manned by retired persons or homemakers. Bleniek suggested that homemakers who have been out of the work force for many years could use the volunteer program as a transition to adjusting to office routines.

Cruse said he is optimistic the city can develop a strong CIVIC program.

"THESE ARE TIMES when we must rely on ourselves," he said. "The days of easy help from Washington or Springfield are gone."

"The many skills and talents of our civic-minded citizens can be a tremendous asset in our effort to revitalize Granite City and help turn it around to face the future with confidence and pride."

Initial part-time assignments will be receptionists, secretaries, filing clerks and typists. In the future, the city expects to have opportunities in computer skills, drafting, TV programming, graphic arts and forestry.

Cruse urged citizens interested in volunteering for the program to call his office.

Career Advisory Council to meet

Plans for its annual employer-student appreciation banquet will be initiated by the Career Advisory Council of Granite City School District's Off-Campus Education program at a meeting Tuesday, Jan. 14.

Members will convene at Charlie's Restaurant for a Dutch-treat dinner at 6:15 p.m. prior to the business session, according to Don Shaffner, Off-Campus Education coordinator.

Other topics to be discussed by the group include health occupations, part of the school district's off-campus program.

Status reports on other aspects of the program also will be presented, Shaffner said.

Members unable to attend are being asked to contact Shaffner at 877-1512, station 46.



YOGA INSTRUCTOR Ellen Wilson aids one of her students at the YMCA with a seated leg lift, which improves flexibility in the hip joint and increases strength in the leg muscles.

Yoga at 3 sites here

GRANITE CITY — The Tri-City Area YMCA is announcing its winter program for yoga classes.

Ellen Wilson teaches yoga for the "Y." She is a certified yoga instructor.

"Many people have misconceptions of yoga. It is not a religion. It has nothing to do with astrology, psychics, reincarnation, yogurt or lying on a bed of nails," she said.

"What yoga is, is a series of exercises that are called postures or asanas. They require much practice before the muscles and limbs become supple enough to achieve the position correctly."

"Each posture has a name. They will tone the muscles, increase flexibility and increase one's circulation. Yoga philosophy is one of positive reinforcement."

"One does not have to achieve perfection right away, but we work toward it. That is why yoga is so perfect for all age groups," Wilson said.

The "Y" offers two senior classes. The Anchorage Senior class meets each Monday and Thursday at 9 a.m. at The Anchorage recreation center. This class is offered for Kirkpatrick Homes and Anchorage residents over the age of 55. A class for senior citizens is held on Thursdays at 11 a.m. at the Venice Senior Citizen Center.

"A yoga class is held at the YMCA at noon for people who would like a midday pick-me-up. This class is 45 minutes long, making it possible for many downtown workers to come in and have a good workout to stretch their muscles and relax their tensions before returning to work," Wilson said.

Elected by Health Nurses association

GRANITE CITY — Pat Davis, St. Elizabeth Medical Center associate health nurse, has been elected president of the Association of Hospital Employee Health Nurses (AHEHN). Davis has been an associate of SEMC for 13 years and the associate health nurse for four years.

Open to individuals involved in employee health, the association meets once a month at alternating member hospitals to exchange ideas, policies, and information. Guest speakers are a part of the monthly meetings, discussing a wide range of subjects on employee health, including workman's compensation, pathology, the chemical-dependent employee and AIDS (acquired immune deficiency syndrome).

"The associate health nurse is a one-of-a-kind position in every hospital," said Davis. "Many times you feel like you're all alone, and it's good to see there are other people having the same problems or running into the same types of situations. Because we have so much in common."



Pat Davis

mon, I've found it beneficial and well worth the time to be involved in this association."

Besides the St. Louis association, which includes the Illinois hospitals in Granite City, Belleville, Alton and Maryville, AHEHN has affiliates in Chicago, Philadelphia and Los Angeles.

Refunds due 9 local residents

The Internal Revenue Service has more than \$100,000 in refund checks waiting to be claimed by more than 400 Springfield District taxpayers, including nine Quad-Citians. The unclaimed refunds range from \$1 to \$9,300.

Regardless of the size of the refund, the IRS is anxious to see that the checks are given to the rightful owners, said Ira Loeb, district director.

Taxpayers whose names appear on the list are encouraged to call the IRS as soon as possible. The IRS switchboard is open from 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. each workday, Mondays through Fridays. Taxpayers can call toll-free by dialing 1-800-824-1040. A tax aide will advise the person of procedures for claiming the refund check.

The most common reason for the undelivered refund checks is that many taxpayers moved and left no forwarding address with the post office.

People contacting the IRS should be prepared to provide the name and address as it appeared on the return, the actual name and address (if different), the Social Security number(s), and the type of form filed.

The IRS said it is not necessary for taxpayers to consult or engage the services of a "locating" or "searching" service, or anyone else to obtain information with respect to their refund check.

The local residents are: Jeffrey S. Adams, Scott J. Bourbon, Sherri A. Ebersohl, James B. Ponder, Terri L. Ruff, Scott D. Rushing, James C. Spain and Cynthia Watson, all of Granite City, and James A. Rogers of Madison.

Creative parenting is to be taught

Creative parenting classes are planned Jan. 15 and 22 at St. Elizabeth Medical Center.

SEMC has developed a unique program that provides insight and information about becoming better parents.

The program is designed for couples expecting a baby and for those who have recently had a newborn child. Grandparents and other "special people" who assist in the care of the new family member also can benefit from the classes.

The program consists of two evening classes which meet for two hours each. Different topics are discussed at each session, so attendance at both is encouraged. Classes are held at McKinley School, 22nd and Iowa streets.

Among the topics covered include infant CPR (cardio pulmonary resuscitation), car and home safety, and milestones of growth and development in early childhood (with emphasis on the first year of life).

Class instructors also provide

printed material. At the conclusion of the series, refreshments are served.

The classes are free, but registration is necessary at the Obstetrics Department, 788-3040.

Corcoran out of Senate race

Thomas Corcoran, Ottawa, a former congressman, said Monday he is withdrawing from the race for the Republican U.S. Senate nomination.

He had been persuaded to file, by Gov. James Thompson and other officials. But, concluded he could not make an effective campaign against Sen. Alan Dixon (D-Bellefonte) without wider backing in the primary.

Some leaders had endorsed State Rep. Judy Koehler of Henry and others had backed George Kanney Jr., a Chicago steel executive.

Thompson and Corcoran say they will remain neutral in the Ranney-Koehler race.

MESD loses workman's comp

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hopes a provider could be assigned within "a matter of days."

Risk pools are used when a government entity or company cannot find a willing insurance provider with a good rating. English explained, the Illinois Council on Compensation Insurance administers the workmen's compensation risk pool. Workmen's compensation insurance is mandatory in Illinois, he noted.

MESD board members also will lose their personal liability coverage Jan. 22, MESD Executive Director Shang Greathouse said.

FORUM INSURANCE Co., which provided \$1 million coverage for

each commissioner, has decided not to renew the coverage.

Greathouse said he would seek proposals from insurance providers on public official liability insurance. The district still has no general liability insurance. That policy expired last September.

GENERAL LIABILITY insurance would cost the district more than \$200,000, English has told MESD officials. Greathouse is reluctant to pay that much.

"If you spend all your money on liability insurance, you lose all your capital and it's no use having insurance," English said.



BROWNIE TROOP 742 of St. Elizabeth Catholic School accepts an American flag from Betty Wilkins and Alberta Manninger. It is a gift from the Auxiliary of Amvets Post 51. Front row, from left, Tracy Herkenhoff, Missy Fourcault, Christy Keller and Jessica Bladick. Back row, Alberta Manninger, Auxiliary president, and Natasha Gregg, Beth Keller, co-leader, and Krislyn Niggli.

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Unique project

GINGERBREAD VILLAGE is arranged for display by the Sunday school children of St. John Lutheran Church during the holiday season. Front row, from left, Todd McQueen, Ben Jellen, Chris Janek, Jonas Janek, Eric Pykes, Emily Jellen, Jaenna Janek and Corey Pykes. Back row, Philip Jellen, Jason Hillmer, Caroly Durbin, Corinne Odell, Kelli Hadley, Michelle French and Derek French. Not present for the picture were Jacob Janek and Mike Durbin.

Bigger state grants to victims of crimes

Innocent victims of violent crimes are eligible for compensation of up to \$25,000 effective Jan. 1, 1986, Illinois Attorney General Neil F. Hartigan said this week.

The previous maximum compensation for an individual victim was \$15,000.

In 1985, nearly 1,200 victims were awarded a total of \$3.6 million by the attorney general's office.

"We are moving toward a true victims justice system in Illinois," Hartigan said. "This law is intended to reduce the financial burden imposed on innocent victims of violent crime and their families, and the law is working."

Typically, a person who qualifies under the Illinois Crime Victims Compensation Act receives money for medical and funeral expenses, loss of earnings and tuition reimbursement.

Lottery

Results of the Illinois State Lottery Daily Game were:

Saturday, Jan. 4: 462
Pick 4 Game: 1208
Lotto Game:
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Sunday, Jan. 5: 937
Pick 4 Game: 1319
Monday, Jan. 6: 023
Pick 4 Game: 6574
Tuesday, Jan. 7: 665
Pick 4 Game: 2024
Wednesday, Jan. 7: 470
Pick 4 Game: 7945

Grassroots government

Upcoming meetings of Quad-City area governmental taxing bodies include:
Venice Park Board 7 p.m. Thursday, Jan. 9, Venice Recreation Center.
Venice School Board 7 p.m. Thursday, Jan. 9, 7th Street and Broadway.

\$463,000 for home fuel cost control in county

A total of \$28.1 million will be available this year to help low-income citizens control energy costs through a variety of weatherization techniques. Madison County Community Development, 692-6290, will administer \$463,000.

"One measure of any society is the compassion it has for the least fortunate, and the imaginative use of limited federal funds under the Illinois Home Weatherization Assistant Program (IHWAP) means more than 16,000 families will enjoy comfortable homes at lower costs in 1986," Gov. James Thompson said.

The weatherization program, which began in 1977 with a \$1.6 million grant from the U.S. Department of Energy, is now funded by both the Department of Energy (DOE) and the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services. It has been used to weatherize 100,000 homes and apartments since 1977.

The governor said the 1986 IHWAP will, for the first time, include a \$3 million "furnace retrofit" component.

Weatherization traditionally involves caulking and weatherstripping, along with installation of insulation, "set-back" thermostats and storm doors and windows. Now, the program will be expanded to reduce energy consumption through furnace repair and modification.

Thompson said, "Furnace retrofit will be provided to 5,000

households receiving basic weatherization service."

Michael T. Woolf, director of the Department of Commerce and Community Affairs (DCCA), which administers IHWAP, said guidelines for the furnace phase will be issued in early spring.

Besides the \$3 million for furnace, \$21.7 million is available now through the 35 IHWAP agencies in Illinois. An additional \$3.4 million will be distributed to reward agencies that do exceptional jobs.

DCCA is taking precautions to make sure the IHWAP program remains intact, even if federal support diminishes in the years ahead.

"Next month, our department will solicit ideas on new, unique or innovative ways to weatherize homes," Woolf said. "This program, involving up to \$300,000 in demonstration funds, will not be limited to existing local weatherization agencies. Grant awards will be made in April or May."

"DCCA also is exploring ways of working more closely with utilities to provide conservation and weatherization. Recent legislation requires utilities to expand their efforts to reach all low-income customers."

Eligibility criteria are based on a family's combined annual income. For example, a family of four with a total yearly income of \$13,313 or less qualifies for assistance.

25 marriages are dissolved

The marriages of 25 Quad-City area couples have been dissolved in the Third Circuit court. Marriages dissolved, with husbands listed first, were those of the following:

Lloyd Jay Nagle of St. Louis and Theresa Almetta (Risinger) Nagle of Granite City; they were married July 22, 1971.
John James Ballentine and Gloria Marie (Brazel-Harvey) Ballentine, both of Granite City; married March 18, 1971.

Paul Vernon Howard of Granite City and Francine (Austin) Howard of Belleville; married June 11, 1983.

Roy J. Schmitt of O'Fallon and Karen Kay (Bellinger) Schmitt of Granite City; married Aug. 23, 1980.
Charles P. Johannigmeier III of Madison and Patricia Lynn Johannigmeier of Granite City; married Nov. 17, 1982.

William Roussain Pollette and Pamela (VanMeter) Pollette, both of Granite City; married July 13, 1977.
Clarence L. Kelley and Debra S. (Greathouse) Kelley, both of Granite City; married Sept. 24, 1981.
Terry E. Waggoner and Noia P. (Baker) Waggoner, both of Granite City; married Nov. 14, 1982.

Jack David Rainey of Granite City and Jennifer Ann Rainey of East Stroudsburg, Pa.; married July 9, 1982.

Roy Lee Echols of St. Louis and Charlotte (Rutherford) Echols of Madison; married Dec. 30, 1974.

Steven R. Gardner and Linda Elaine (Haddox) Gardner, both of Granite City; married April 14, 1979.
Cephus M. Davis of Kansas City, Kan., and Lee Etta (Diggins) Davis of Madison; married June 6, 1981.
Thomas Edward Swain of Spanish Lake, Mo., and Rhonda Jane (Bet-

tag) Swain of Granite City; married Dec. 2, 1978.

Thomas E. Est of St. Louis and Tammy S. (Puley) Est of Granite City; married Aug. 30, 1980.

Bill Ray Edmonds and Rosetta (Young) Edmonds, both of Madison; married June 23, 1983.

David Miguel Mendoza and Donna Jean (Meyer) Mendoza, both of Granite City; married Jan. 15, 1983.
Victor Schaffer Rodriguez of El Paso, Texas, and Elizabeth Maria (Leith) Rodriguez of Granite City; married Dec. 26, 1979.

Robert Marden Bell of Union, Tenn., and Deborah Sue (Quillin) Bell of Granite City; married Feb. 28, 1981.

George T. Clutts of St. Louis and Lynda M. (Cumbee) Clutts of Granite City; married June 13, 1984.
Donald Lee Huckelberry and Terry (Edrington) Huckelberry, both of Granite City; married July 20, 1985.

Glen Edward Ahlers and Kathy Renee (Tietloff) Ahlers, both of Granite City; married Nov. 27, 1982.

Lonnie W. Clark and Cynthia M. (Blackwell) Clark, both of Granite City; married Jan. 27, 1981.

Jimmy Dean Byrd Sr. and Robin Kay (Beavin) Byrd, both of Granite City; married Dec. 16, 1978.

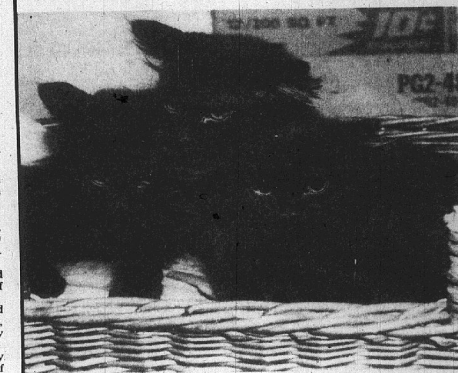
Donald Julian Connor and Linda Mae (Beadle) Connor, both of Granite City; married Nov. 30, 1979.
William G. Shemonia and Carol S. (Gafford) Shemonia, both of Granite City; married May 2, 1980.



Puppy love

KIBBLES AND BITS, two 8-week-old females, are available for adoption at the Association for the Protection of Animals Shelter, 5000 Old Alton Road. For more information, interested persons may call the shelter at 931-7030. Adoption hours are Thursdays and Fridays, 4 to 7 p.m., and Saturdays, 1 to 3 p.m.

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CUDDLY KITTENS Scruffy, Muffy and Buffy are available for adoption at the APA Shelter, 5000 Old Alton Road. The three black part-Persian kittens are 10 weeks old and have all of their shots. Two of the felines are male and one is female. For more information, interested persons may call the shelter at 931-7030. Adoption hours are Thursdays and Fridays, 4 to 7 p.m., and Saturdays, 1 to 3 p.m.

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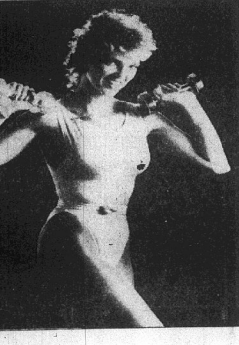
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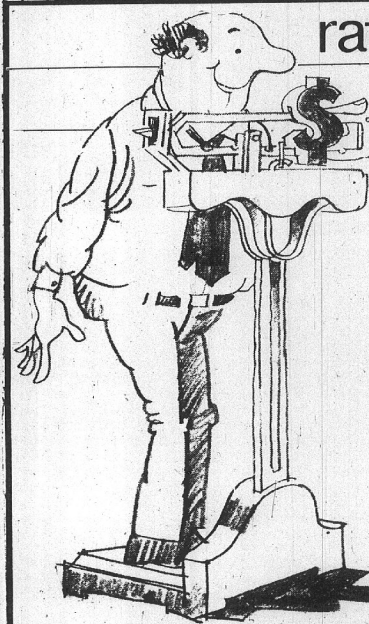
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Police news

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WRONG HEADLINE USED

The wrong headline was placed above a news article Jan. 8 concerning a guilty plea to aggravated battery. The charge had been filed in a Granite City investigation against James Johnson of Edwardsville. The Press-Record/Journal regrets the error.

BURGLAR STEALS STEREO

A stereo system equipped with an AM-FM radio, eight-track cassette player and a clock was taken in a burglary at the home of Robert Watson, 1218 Robin St., Venice, he reported Jan. 5. A window was broken to get inside the dwelling.

OBSTRUCTION IS CHARGED

Fred R. Walch, 21, of 1726 Cleveland Blvd. was charged with obstructing a peace officer and driving with a suspended license when his vehicle was stopped early Jan. 4 by an officer at Delmar Avenue and 17th Street. Walch allegedly identified himself as another person to the officer. He was released on cash bail.

DOCTOR OFFICE ENTERED

A burglar broke into a physician's office, currently being renovated at 609 1/2 Broadway, Venice, it was reported Dec. 30. Nothing was immediately determined to be missing.

DRIVER OF DAMAGED CAR IS TICKETED FOR DUI

Darrin A. Singleton, 18, of 23 Wilson Park Lane was ticketed for driving under the influence of alcohol when Madison County authorities stopped his car at 201 E. Chain of Rocks Road, Mitchell, this week.

A county officer alleged Singleton was driving west on Chain of Rocks Road with a flat front tire, a burned-out headlight and other damage. He was released on \$102 cash bail and his driver license. Two juveniles in the vehicle were questioned and an investigation is continuing.

FIRE AT ILLINI MOTEL CAUSES \$5,000 DAMAGE

A fire at the Illini Motel Jan. 7 resulted in \$5,000 damage to the contents of the building. According to fire reports, the blaze started when an electric cord short-circuited in Room 21 and drapes caught on fire. The fire was contained to that room. The owner of the building is Dr. Kanoo M. Patel. No one was injured.

SAYS DOESN'T LIVE THERE

The occupant of 2503 Delmar Ave. said Charles T. Tilson does not live at that address. Tilson was charged by Granite City police Dec. 31 with unlawful use of a weapon.

Madison man faces Granite City charges

Harold L. Dunnivant, 26, of 1106 State St., Madison, was charged with retail theft, possession of cannabis and possession of a hypodermic syringe when arrested Jan. 3. Dunnivant walked out of the Gasen Super-X drug store in Nameoki Village Shopping Center after allegedly failing to pay for a prescription, a pharmacist said. Picked up by Madison police about three hours later, Dunnivant was brought to the Granite City police headquarters, where he was charged with theft.

During a search, the syringe and some cannabis allegedly found in his possession. Dunnivant was released on \$306 bail.

MAN BOOKED FOR DUI, AUTO HITS PATROL CAR

William C. Hayes, 28, of Fairview Heights was charged Jan. 3 with driving under the influence of alcohol and improper display of a license plate after his car was stopped by an officer on Nameoki Road at Lincoln Avenue.

As Hayes started to get out of his vehicle, the auto began moving backward. Despite the motorist's attempt to apply the brakes, it kept moving until colliding with the officer's squad car. There was no apparent damage to the police vehicle.

A passenger in the auto, Cary H. Whitehead, 32, who listed addresses on East 24th Street and East 23rd Street, was arrested on a warrant alleging failure to appear on a charge of driving under the influence.

MOBILE HOME IS DENTED

Twelve dents were punched in the aluminum siding exterior of a mobile home belonging to James Seger, 2716 Harding Blvd., he reported Jan. 3.

CHARGES ARE FILED

Gregory A. Rains, 28, of 38b Jeanette Drive was charged with driving under the influence of alcohol, improper lane usage, speeding, driving with an expired driving license and disobeying a traffic control device when his auto was stopped at Niedringhaus and Delmar avenues Dec. 28.

ST. LOUISIAN IS CHARGED

Gary W. Bott, 47, of St. Louis was charged with driving under the influence of alcohol after he backed his car out of a parking space at Charlie's Restaurant, 3120 Nameoki Road, and it allegedly struck the side of a parked auto owned by John Niebur, 2728 Birch Ave., Dec. 28.

WARRANT SERVED HERE, ANOTHER CHARGE FILED

Jeffrey A. Willoughby, 20, of 2500 Hodges Ave. was arrested Jan. 6 on a warrant alleging failure to appear on a charge of possession of a look-alike drug.

Willoughby also was charged with obstructing a peace officer, having allegedly given police a false name when they served the warrant.

DUI CHARGED AT E. 23RD

Roy S. Cutright, 45, of 3801 Lake Drive was charged Jan. 6 with driving under the influence of alcohol at E. 23rd Street and Nameoki Road.

EYEGLASSES, CASH TAKEN

Violet Miller, 2453 Hodges Ave., reported Jan. 6 someone entered her locked auto and stole two pairs of sunglasses, a pair of prescription eyeglasses, a beige storage tray and \$6 to \$10 in cash.

FORMER ADDRESS LISTED

The occupant at 133 Lee Wright Homes, Venice, said Harvey L. Walker, 26, no longer lives at that address, news item Jan. 2 listed Walker as residing there.

GRANITE CITIAN CHARGED WITH DUI IN COUNTY AREA

Daniel A. DeRuntz of 4609 Maryville Road was charged with driving under the influence of alcohol on Jan. 1, the Madison County Sheriff's Department reported.

DeRuntz was first stopped by Pontoon Beach police officers, who called deputies to the scene at Pine Street and Maryville Road after stopping the DeRuntz truck. DeRuntz allegedly had been wearing between lanes on Route 111 and Pontoon Road.

HOME BURGLARIZED HERE WHILE RESIDENT AWAY

A home at 942 Cote Brillante was burglarized Jan. 3 and \$900 worth of property was taken. It was reported to the Madison County Sheriff's Department.

The resident, Robert H. Crain, was staying at a motel due to a recent house fire.

BATTERY BY MAN ALLEGED

Paul K. Phillips, 22, of 1233 Edwardsville Road was charged Jan. 4 with battery. Marshall Brooks, of 1231 Edwardsville Road said he was arguing with Danny Phillips when Paul Phillips allegedly struck him in the face with his fist.

\$700 IN TOOLS TAKEN

Charles Jaycox, 2445 Edwards St., told police Jan. 5 someone broke the lock off his basement door and took tools valued at \$700.

Clerk ignores robbery attempt

When handed a threatening note asking for money, an employee at the Illinois Power Co. service area office, Niedringhaus and Delmar avenues, folded up the paper and returned it to a man who left the office without any cash Jan. 3.

The note was given to the clerk by a brown-haired man who was about 25 years old and 5 feet, 11 inches tall, she told police.

The would-be robber stated in the note that he was an unemployed deaf-mute with a wife and two children. Bills were piled up and he had no way to pay them, it said.

The note directed the clerk to put "all the money inside the note" and further stated that he had a gun.

After reading the note, the employee folded it up and handed it back to the man, who then left the office. No money was given.

County investigating rape of GC woman

The rape of a 63-year-old Granite City woman is being investigated by Madison County authorities. The rape was reported at 8:30 p.m. Dec. 27 by a resident of Bend Road. The woman came to a home and said she had been raped in a wooded area along Bend Road.

The woman told officers she had left her Granite City home at 5:30 p.m. that day and gone to Serrano's Lounge at 1417 20th St. She said she met a 30-year-old man who knew and he offered her a ride home.

The man took her to Bend Road, told her he had a gun and threatened to kill her. She told police he struck her several times before the rape.

Afterward, she obeyed the man's order to give him her purse. She earlier had removed money and cigarettes from the purse, she told authorities.

She was taken to St. Elizabeth Medical Center for treatment.

DRIVER CHARGED WITH DUI: THREE VEHICLES DAMAGED

Harvey F. Copeland, 33, of 4901 Maryville Road was charged Jan. 2 with driving under the influence of alcohol, resisting arrest, leaving the scene of a traffic crash and failing to give information after striking an unattended vehicle.

It was alleged his vehicle collided with a parked car owned by Becky Creath of 2502 Washington Ave. and later with a car driven by Paul W. Viessman, 17, of 619 W. Chain of Rocks Road. Viessman said Copeland made a right turn from westbound 27th Street to northbound Benton Street, Copeland, located at his home, allegedly struggled with officers.

License revocation is ordered for DUI

Revocation of a driver's license for conviction of driving under the influence of alcohol has been issued by the State of Illinois for:

Billy J. Castile, 42, of 2446 Dewey Ave., arrested Aug. 24 and Sept. 27 and convicted Oct. 1.

Nancy Lynn Barnhart, 37, of 2111 Alexander St., arrested Aug. 22 and convicted Sept. 26.

Anthony Paul Passirelli, 24, of 4310 Kirkpatrick Homes, arrested Oct. 5 and convicted Oct. 15.

Tony C. Sellers, 18, of 2127 Lincoln Ave., arrested Nov. 17 and convicted Nov. 22.

Reginald A. Oliver, 37, of 535 Tennessee Ave., arrested Nov. 24 and convicted Dec. 2.

Leo J. Furtak Jr., 37, of 2321 E. 23rd St., arrested Aug. 29 and convicted Nov. 8.

TWO INJURED IN CRASH

Both drivers in an accident at 20th Street and Cleveland Boulevard Jan. 4 were injured. They were Flossie Hunt, 62, East St. Louis, and Toni R. Mothershead, 17, Rural Route 1, Hunt, driving south, was charged with disobeying a stop sign.

Venice dwelling is destroyed by fire

A two-story frame house at 214 Calhoun St., Venice, owned by Dorothy Prothro was virtually destroyed in a Jan. 3 fire, which may have originated from a possibly faulty space heater.

The Venice Fire Department was alerted to the blaze by an unknown caller and the fire was "pretty well along" when the volunteer firefighters responded, a member of the department said.

The dwelling was empty at the time of the fire, as Mrs. Prothro was at the home of her mother, who was ill.

Firemen remained at the scene about two hours. No estimate of loss for the structure or contents was available.

DUI, LANE CHARGES FILED

Michael J. Falcetti, 27, of 2535 Edwards St. was charged Jan. 4 at Niedringhaus and Edison avenues with driving under the influence of alcohol and improper lane usage. He was freed on his driving license and \$102 cash bail.

BURGLAR TAKES \$300 CASH

Lois Hogue of 2135 Lee Ave. reported Jan. 4 someone entered her home through a window and "pocketed" a bedroom. Taken was \$300 cash.

SOCCER GOAL POST DAMAGED

France Luther, coordinator of Educational Therapy Center, 2301 E. 23rd St., told police Jan. 2 someone damaged the goal post for the soccer field.

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Real Estate Owned and In Judgment	12,320
Stock in Federal Home Loan Bank of Chicago, at cost	207,700
Investments and Securities	10,307,361
Cash On Hand and In Banks	226,159
Office Building and Equipment at Cost Less Depreciation	632,460
Other Assets	102,747
	<u>\$30,797,300</u>

LIABILITIES and RESERVES

Savings Accounts	\$27,961,426
Loans in Process	NONE
Advances from Federal Home Loan Bank	NONE
Advance Payments by Borrowers for Taxes and Insurance	197,876
Other Liabilities	411,007
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Obituaries

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Ella Crabtree

Mrs. Ella M. Crabtree, 91, of Hermitage, Tenn., formerly of Granite City, died Dec. 26, 1985.

She lived in this area from 1908 to 1975. She was preceded in death by her husband, Arthur Crabtree.

Survivors include one daughter, Mrs. Everett Hopkins of Maryville; five grandchildren; seven great-grandchildren; and one brother, Joseph T. Heyer of Germantown, Tenn.

Burial was at Brighton, Ill., on Dec. 28.

Fisher, and two brothers, Edward and Louis Melton.

Visitation will be after 2:30 p.m. today, Jan. 9, at Herbert A. Kassly Funeral Home, 515 Vandalla St., Collinsville, where the Rev. John Heater will conduct 11 a.m. services Friday, Jan. 10. Burial will be at St. Clair Memorial Park in Fairview Heights. Memorials are requested for the Lions Club.

Hester Shelton

Mrs. Hester P. (McKee) Shelton, 86, of 2917 E. 24th St. died at 5:30 p.m. Tuesday, Jan. 7, 1986, at St. Elizabeth Medical Center, where she was a patient for one week.

A 60-year resident of Granite City, Mrs. Shelton was born in Moberly County, Mo. She was of the Protestant faith.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Otto D. Shelton Sr., in 1971, by a son, Otto Shelton Jr., in 1974, and by a daughter, Mrs. Patricia Kozak, in 1983.

Survivors include one sister, Mrs. Susan Pendleton of St. Elizabeth, Mo., five grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

Visitation will be from 3 p.m. to 9 p.m. today, Jan. 9, at Irwin Chapel for Funerals, 2801 Madison Ave., where the Rev. Ed Shemwell will officiate at 10 a.m. services Friday, Jan. 10. Burial will be at Sunset Hill Cemetery, Edwardsville. The family requests memorial contributions to the Adrienne Shelton Fund at Central Bank-Granite City.

Lucy Vaughn

Mrs. Lucy E. (Colvett) Vaughn, 61, of 1710 Delmar Ave., a 45-year resident of Illinois, died at 7:20 p.m. Tuesday, Jan. 7, 1986, at St. Elizabeth Medical Center.

She was hospitalized for one day. Mrs. Vaughn was born in Hunter, Mo., and was of the Baptist faith.

Survivors include four sons, James Vaughn, Greeley, Colo., Donald and Charles Vaughn, both of Granite City, and Arthur Vaughn, Ponton, Mo.; two daughters, Alice Vaughn and Linda Ursey, both of Granite City; two brothers, Charles Colvett, Collinsville, and Norman Colvett, Jackson, Mo.; four sisters, Virginia Boyer, Elsainor, Mo., and Viola Colvett, Violet, Keeler, Mo.; and 11 grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by another brother, William Colvett, in 1975.

Visitation will begin at 6:30 p.m. today, Jan. 9, at Irwin Chapel for Funerals, 2801 Madison Ave., where the Rev. H. Wilson will officiate at 1 p.m. services Friday, Jan. 10. Burial will be at St. John Cemetery, 2901 Namoki Road.

NORMA HUFSTEDLER

55, of 1708 Kirkpatrick Homes, who died Sunday, Jan. 5, 1986, at St. Elizabeth Medical Center. The Rev. Harry Chronister conducted 11 a.m. services today, Jan. 9, at Bethesda Temple, 22nd and State streets. Burial was at St. John Cemetery, 2901 Namoki Road.

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JERRY ZAHM, 72, of 1741 Third St., Madison, who died Saturday morning, Jan. 4, 1986, in Germantown, Tenn. Funeral services were conducted by the Rev. Eugene Cope at 11 a.m. Tuesday, Jan. 7, at Lahey-Sedlack Funeral Home, Madison. Burial was at St. John Cemetery, 2901 Namoki Road. Memorials are requested for the Lung Association.

Jewell Fisher, 78, dies in Pennsylvania

Jewell (Melton) Fisher, 78, of Pittsburgh, Pa., the sister of a Granite City resident, died Sunday, Jan. 3, 1986, Metropolitan Hospital, Central Division, in Pennsylvania.

Mrs. Fisher formerly lived in Caseyville and was a member of Pleasant Ridge Baptist Church in Collinsville.

She is survived by a brother, C.L. Melton of Granite City; a daughter, Betty Borenstein of New Jersey; two grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

Graveside funeral services will be held at 11:45 a.m. Thursday, Jan. 9, at Lake View Memorial Gardens, Belleville, with the Rev. Ralph Dollar officiating.

Funeral arrangements are being handled by Herbert A. Kassly Funeral Home in Collinsville.

Helen Schuessler, 69, dies this week

Mrs. Helen L. (Bausner) Schuessler, 69, of Cottage Hills, mother of Larry Schuessler of Granite City, died at 2 p.m. Sunday, Jan. 5, 1986, at Wood River Township Hospital.

She was born in Bluffs, Ill., and married John W. Schuessler, who survives, on Sept. 23, 1934, in Neelyville.

Mrs. Schuessler was a member of Zion Lutheran Church in Bethalto. Other survivors include two daughters, Janice Christensen of Godfrey and Pat Farley of Hartford; three other sons, John H. and Paul W., both of East Alton, and Robert D. of Bethalto; 16 grandchildren; four great-grandchildren; and four brothers, Herbert and Ralph Bausner, both of Alton, Marvin Bausner of Godfrey and Leland Bausner of Brighton.

Funeral services were held at 10:30 a.m. Tuesday, Jan. 7, at Smith Funeral Home in Bethalto by the Rev. Willard Meyer and the Rev. Herbert Mueller. Burial was at Rose Lawn Memory Gardens, Bethalto.

Rites held Wednesday for Louis Malkemus

The Rev. Wesley Bornemann officiated at 2 p.m. services Wednesday, Jan. 8, at Fletcher Funeral Home, Edwardsville, for Louis Malkemus, 92, of Vandalia, brother of Mrs. Lucille Johnson of Granite City.

Mr. Malkemus died Saturday, Jan. 4, 1986, in Fayette County Hospital, Vandalia.

Other survivors include two brothers and another sister. Burial was at Grantfork United Church of Christ Cemetery.

Bertha McConkey dies; sister of GC woman

Funeral services were conducted at 1 p.m. Wednesday, Jan. 8, at Kurus Funeral Home in Belleville for Bertha M. McConkey, 75, Fairview Heights, a sister of Mrs. Cora Jean McConkey of Granite City.

Mrs. McConkey died Sunday, Jan. 5, 1986, at Memorial Hospital in Belleville.

Other survivors include her husband, a daughter, one brother, another sister, and one grandson.

Burial was at Mount Evergreen Cemetery in Millstadt.



Singing scouts

ENJOYING SONGFEST. Girl Scouts from the Madison and Venice Neighborhood of River Bluffs Girl Scout Council bring holiday greetings to residents at The Colonnades nursing facility in Granite City. The young carolers were accompanied by several adults, including scout leaders Paula Ballew and Kay Hahne.

Long-distance rates may drop

AT&T asked Jan. 7 to reduce charges on long-distance phone calls within Illinois.

AT&T's Illinois customers would share in an estimated \$18 million in savings, made possible by a revision of the Public Utility Act which took effect last year.

In a filing with the Illinois Commerce Commission, AT&T proposed a 6 percent reduction in rates for long-distance calls in Illinois. A separate proposal called for a similar decrease in charges to business customers in the Wide Area Telephone Service (WATS) within Illinois.

"The fast-changing telecommunications industry outpaced the state's original Public Utility Act, which was written in 1951, and burdensome regulations have been costly to consumers," Gov. James Thompson said. "The new Illinois Telecommunications Act offers a flexible regulatory system and an opportunity for lower costs due to competition among telephone service providers."

The rewrite of the state's utility regulations was spurred by a 1984 report by the governor's Sunset Task Force on Utility Regulation Reform.

"The potential cost-savings are not limited to customers placing calls from their homes. The lowered telephone costs for businesses would mean more improvements in the state's economy and would make Illinois an even better place to do business," Thompson said.

Funeral services

Area deaths reported in this week's Sunday and Wednesday newspapers include:

BROWN, Frank Edgar, 72, of Denton, Texas, formerly of Madison, died Saturday, Dec. 28, 1985, at home. Services were conducted at 11 a.m. Tuesday, Dec. 31, at Schmitz-Floyd-Hamlet Funeral Chapel in Denton. Burial was at Roselawn Memorial Park near Denton.

EARLS, Billy Dean, 38, of 4536 Highway 162, was pronounced dead at his home at 9:18 p.m. Sunday, Jan. 5, 1986, by Madison County Deputy Coroner Edward Besserman. Services were conducted at 10 a.m. today, Jan. 9, at Mercer Mortuary, 1416 Niedringhaus Ave. Burial was at the National Cemetery in Jefferson Barracks, Mo.

Memorials are requested to the Diabetes Association.

HARPER, Kenneth D. Sr., 51, of 2142 State St., died in the emergency room of St. Elizabeth Medical Center at 3 p.m. Sunday, Jan. 5, 1986. Services were conducted by the Rev. Jack Pyle at 1 p.m. Wednesday, Jan. 8, at Irwin Chapel for Funerals, 2801 Madison Ave. Graveside services were held at 2 p.m. today, Jan. 9, at Roselawn Memorial Park near Denton.

HAWK, Paul Francis, 69, of 1743 Edison Ave., was pronounced dead in his parked auto in the 1900 block of Cleveland Boulevard, by Madison County Deputy Coroner Randall Irwin at 8:05 p.m. Sunday, Jan. 5, 1986. Mass was said in 10 a.m. Wednesday, Jan. 8, at Sacred Heart Catholic Church. Burial was at Calvary Cemetery, Edwardsville. The Rosary was recited Tuesday at Plepeler Funeral Home, 1299 Cleveland Blvd.

HUFSTEDLER, Mrs. Norma Rosella (Pench), 55, of 1708 Kirkpatrick Homes, died at 5:20 a.m. Sunday, Jan. 5, 1986, at St. Elizabeth Medical Center. Services were conducted by the Rev. Harry Chronister at 11 a.m. today, Jan. 9, at St. Thomas Memorial Mortuary, 2205 Pontoon Road. Burial was at St. John Cemetery, 2901 Namoki Road.

MASON, Grover E., 100, of Colonial Haven Nursing Home, formerly of Savage, Mo., died at the nursing home at 10:30 p.m. Monday, Jan. 6, 1986. Graveside services were conducted today, Jan. 9, at Oklahoma Church Cemetery, Wentz, Mo. Friends called Wednesday at Irwin Chapel for Funerals, 2801 Madison Ave.

PIERCE, Mrs. Lucille S. (Sarver), 75, of 2830 State St., was pronounced dead at her home at 10 a.m. Friday, Jan. 6, at Irwin Chapel for Funerals, 2801 Madison Ave. Burial was at Mount Hope Cemetery, Belleville.

SCHAEFER, G. G., 52, of 904 Iowa St., Madison, was pronounced dead at his home at 2:15 p.m. Sunday, Jan. 5, 1986, by Madison County Deputy Coroner Edward Besserman. Cremation took place at Memorial Park Crematory in St. Louis. Lahey-Sedlack Funeral Home, 501 Madison Ave., Madison, was in charge of arrangements.

SCHROEDER, Mrs. Leta, 82, a former long-time resident of Granite City, died Wednesday, Jan. 1, 1986, at the Danville Nursing Home in Danville, Ill. Services were conducted at 11 a.m. Saturday, Jan. 4, at Wilson Funeral Home in Odin, Ill.

SEYMOUR, Lloyd E., 64, of 304 Lydia Lane, died at 9:07 p.m. Thursday, Jan. 2, 1986, at St. Elizabeth Medical Center. Services were conducted by the Rev. Jerry Reed at 1 p.m. Monday, Jan. 6, at Nameoki United Methodist Church, Burial was at Lake View Memorial Gardens, Belleville. Friends called earlier at Irwin Chapel for Funerals, 2801 Madison Ave.

SHORT, William, 65, of Clearwater, Fla., formerly of Granite City, died at 11:30 p.m. Sunday, Jan. 5, 1986, at a Florida hospital. A memorial service will be held at 4 p.m. Friday, Jan. 10, at Bethel Evangelical Church, 2550 Stratford Lane. Services also were held in Florida. His remains were cremated and interred at Sunset Hill Cemetery, Edwardsville.

TURNER, Mrs. Thelma "Little Honey," 75, of 1022 Market St., Venice, died at 8:45 p.m. Saturday, Jan. 4, 1986, at Colonial Haven Nursing Home in Springfield, Ill. Services were conducted by the Rev. John A. Owens at 7 p.m. Wednesday, Jan. 8, at Bethel AME Church, 1033 Market St. Burial was at Sunset Gardens of Memory in Millstadt. Friends called earlier at Offices: Funeral Home, 2114 Missouri Ave., East St. Louis.

WALTON, Jimmie Denise Rochelle, 3, of 1007 Logan Ave., Venice, died at 8:13 a.m. Friday, Dec. 27, 1985, at Children's Hospital, St. Louis. Services were conducted at 1:30 p.m. Monday, Jan. 6, at Officer Funeral Home, 2114 Missouri Ave., East St. Louis. Burial was at Sunset Gardens of Memory, Babyland Cemetery, Millstadt.

ZAHM, Jerry D., 72, of 1741 Third St., Madison, died Saturday, Jan. 4, 1986, in Germantown, Tenn. Services were conducted at 11 a.m. Tuesday, Jan. 7, at Lahey-Sedlack Funeral Home, 501 Madison Ave., Madison. Burial was at St. John Cemetery, 2901 Namoki Road.

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St. Margaret Mary's Ladies Club will resume monthly meetings for this year on Tuesday, Jan. 14, at 7:30 p.m. in the school cafeteria.

Any woman residing in the parish is invited to attend the session and become a member, the president said.

Kathy Knezevich, chairman of the cookbook fund-raising project, announces there are still cookbooks available and may be purchased at the church, 1900 St. Clair Ave.

Mr. and Mrs. Keith (Robin) J. Branch, 14 Georgetown Drive, are announcing the birth of their second child, David Arthur.

He was born Dec. 30 at St. Mary's Health Center in Richmond Heights, Mo. The infant weighed 8 pounds, 2 ounces, and was born prematurely. He is still in the hospital but the parents said he is doing very well and they hope to bring him home soon.

He has a sister, Stephanie Mildred. Grandparents are David and Joyce Shearlock and Arthur Branch, all of Granite City, and the late Mildred Branch.

Ss. Cyril and Method Eastern Orthodox Church, 4770 Maryville Road, will sponsor its monthly fish fry Friday, Jan. 10, from 4 p.m. to 7 p.m. The event is open to the public.

Mrs. Elizabeth Ann Murray graduated from the Lincoln Technical School nurses aide training in late December.

She graduated with a B grade average and is now employed by the Edwardsville Care Center in Edwardsville, Mrs. Murray has three children at home.

Pageant program in Collinsville

Applications are being accepted for the 1986 South Illinois Today's Little Dream Pageant to be held on July 12 and 13 at the Collinsville Hilton Inn. It will be an official preliminary to the National Today's Little Dream Pageant in Florida in the fall of 1986.

In 1985, more than \$100,000 in cash and prizes was awarded throughout the country. The local winner last year, Jeanne Haeg of Belleville, will crown the 1986 winner in Collinsville. The pageant is designed to broaden the contestant's experience, provide means for increased social development, improve self-image and promote family unity.

There will be three age divisions, 4-6, 7-9 and 10-12 (age on Dec. 31, 1986). The winner of each division will receive a queen's crown, trophy, cash award, 11x14 portrait, banner and expense money for a trip to Florida to compete in the national pageant.

Trophies will be awarded to the first four runners-up: Miss Hospitality, Miss Photogenic, best personality and most poised. An optional talent competition is available.

The information source is Donald J. White, director, South Illinois Today's Little Dream Pageant, Department PR, P.O. Box 06717, Ft. Myers, Fla. 33906-0717, telephone 1-813-369-6700.

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Church Activities

By DONNA KIMBRO
Staff writer

THE GOSPEL LIGHTHOUSE, 2635 Missouri Ave., requests any resident who has usable clothing, furniture, appliances or food for redistribution to families in need, to contact the Beacon of Hope Center at the church.

Pickup service is available by calling 876-1210. All donations are tax deductible, according to the announcement.

The church will host its first singingspiration from 7 to 8 p.m. Jan. 12, featuring The Gospel Witness and The Wings of Love as well as the Burkett family, according to Mary House, minister of music at the church.

A WATCH PARTY was held New Year's Eve at Mount Zion General Baptist Church, 2067 Benton St. Sister churches whose members attended were Mount Olive, Cedar View and Johnson Road General Baptist.

Randy Ullman and son, Mathew, accompanied by Larry Hagan sang a duet and played the guitar as part of the entertainment.

After a fellowship hour, the Rev. Johnny Gibson delivered the religious message. Dr. Samuel Rogers is host pastor.

A CALL TO PRAYER and Self Denial program will be conducted Monday, Jan. 13, at 7:30 p.m. at Nameoki United Methodist Church, hosted by the Nameoki United Methodist Women.

Dorothy Luckert will be in charge of the program, which is open to the public. A day of fasting is being encouraged. After the meeting, soup and crackers will be served.

Donations collected during the event will be used to help women through the GRANDMA'S ROCKING Chair, a

poem, was read by Juanita Brown to open a monthly meeting of Ruth Circle of Niedringhaus United Methodist Church.

Dorothy Whitmer, circle leader, conducted the business session, followed by Donna Kagy giving the lesson, entitled "Express Yourself - Express God."

Devotions on "Your Next 12 Hours" for the Least Coin collection were presented by Gladys Potillo.

A steak dinner is planned for April 18 at the church, with tickets to sell for \$4.50 for adults and \$1.50 for children. January is "Methodist Women Month," with the group members to serve as greeters and ushers for the church services.

Each circle will donate items for Neighborhood House during the month, the leader said.

Others present were Dolores Allen, Lorlei Jennings, Esther Traylor, Goldie Fischer, Mary Miller, Marie Klein, Sharon Shaffer, Geneva Miller, Lethia Gitchoff, Betty McClintock, Demola Beasley, Irene Kemmer, Jan Kahl and Joanne Kraus.

"I BOUGHT THE ROCK" was the title of a program given by Kathleen (Loretta) message of Naomi Circle of Niedringhaus United Methodist Church.

The group met in the home of Virginia Wolfe, with Mary Greshing, circle leader, in charge.

Results of a holiday bazaar were given and Mrs. Greshing announced a new program for this year. All members of the United Methodist Women will bring items each month at the general meeting to help local families in need. This month is designated to assist children.

Others present were Cary Embick, Carol Farnsworth, Bonnie Loftus, Jean Maxwell, Glenda Moore and Gladys Wallace.

Check new toys for safety

By JANET R. BURNETT
Madison County Adviser,
Home Economics

Now that Christmas is over and the children have had a chance to break in their new toys, it's time to make sure the toys are still as safe as they were when they were opened on Christmas morning.

Most parents try to buy safe toys for their children, but the hazards of some toys may not be immediately apparent. Small parts that look well-attached may come loose after a few days of use. And some plastics that look sturdy can still break, leaving rough, sharp edges.

Parents should take the time to check their children's new toys for safety and appropriateness. A toy that is perfectly safe for a 10-year-old may be dangerous in the hands of a 2-year-old.

The biggest dangers for infants under one year of age are sharp edges and small pieces. Older infants need to be protected from these dangers, and a few others as well.

Infants and toddlers are exploring their environments, so be alert for small toys and removable parts that may find their way into children's mouths.

Marbles, beads and coins that may belong to older siblings should be put away, well out of the reach of the little ones. Flammable toys and other objects may pose danger as well, especially if the family uses a fireplace.

Older preschoolers' toys should also be inspected for sharp or rough edges. Preschoolers are too young to operate electrical toys by themselves, and these toys should be put away when the children are not being supervised by an adult.

Parents of creative 4- to 6-year-olds who received paint sets for Christmas may want to make sure the paints are labeled "non-toxic." Craft supplies and tools that pinch or cut should be used only under

adult supervision.

Some gift items that are popular among older children also warrant parental supervision. Examples of these include electrical toys, shooting toys or target toys, air rifles, darts, bows and arrows, sharp-edged tools and chemistry sets. With some of these items, Mom or Dad should discuss safety with the youngster before the gifts are used.

Roller skates and skateboards should be checked for safety before they are used. If elbow and knee pads did not come along with the skates or skateboard, they should be purchased and used every time. A helmet is also a good idea for skaters who received skateboards.

Parents who have children of several ages should make sure all toys in the household are safe for even the youngest members of the family.



JUNIOR GIRL SCOUTS of Troop 797, sponsored by Frohardt School, at Powell Symphony Hall. They attended a performance of the Nutcracker Suite ballet. Front row, from left, Charlene Pearman, Alice Laughlin, Jayme Duckworth, Audrey DeLay, LeAnna Novich, Donna DeLay and Lynn Novich, a member of the cast. Second row, Amanda Stack, another cast member, and Scouts Stacie Ahlers, Dawn Freeman and Shelly Hoffman. Back row, Shannon Marcum, Angie Kovach, Jennifer Heater, Michelle Know and Jennifer Simon. Cindy Fisher was not present for the picture.

Honors planned

The Cahokia Mound Council, Boy Scouts of America, will honor scouts at its 36th annual recognition dinner on Saturday, Feb. 8.

Don W. Kasing is council president. Ronald Luebben is commissioner and William R. Montcal is scout executive.

Gertrude Luebben, council vice president for the line, said the dinner will be held at 6:30 p.m. at the American Legion Hall, Route 157 (across from the high school) in Edwardsville.

The event is held to honor all Scouts and their spouses, and will spotlight those recognized for service, topped by the presentation of three Silver Beaver awards.

Cost of the dinner will be \$7 per person. The council will accept reservations from the first 375 to call.

Program set by Shrine

The Marriage and Family Program at the National Shrine of Our Lady of the Snows will sponsor a mini-retreat for couples Jan. 18 from 1 to 9 p.m.

The mini-retreat is for couples who wish to "strengthen the faith dimension of their marriage covenant." The day helps them enrich their marriage sacrament by reflecting on their relationships with each other and with God.

The event will include evening liturgy and dinner, according to the Rev. Leo Figge, at the Shrine, 397-6700 or 241-3400.

Frohardt scouts attend St. Louis ballet

Junior Girl Scout Troop 797 of Frohardt School had a busy December. In addition to their regular weekly meetings, the girls have toured the radio studios of WLL, met to make a Christmas doorknob decoration, and held a Christmas party at the home of group leader, Mrs. Pat Pearman. Gifts were exchanged at the party, games were played, and refreshments were served.

The troop also visited St. Elizabeth Medical Center and sang Christmas carols while strolling through the hospital.

A special treat for the troop was

to attend a performance of the Nutcracker Suite ballet at Powell Symphony Hall. After the performance the girls obtained autographs from members of the cast and posed for pictures.

They were accompanied by Troop leader Pat Pearman. Co-leader Sue Duckworth and troop assistants Barbara Freeman and Lucille DeLay.

Members of Troop 797 are looking forward to PTA scout night at Frohardt School in February when they, and an equal number of boys, will entertain by square dancing.

Local church group receives miniature

A pewter sculpture of the Statue of Liberty was presented to the Macedonian Bulgarian Ladies Aid Society by Mrs. Athene Gitchoff at its Christmas luncheon meeting.

The president, Mrs. Tomas Kirchoff, accepted it on behalf of the group.

The gift to the organization, affiliated with Holy Trinity Eastern Orthodox Church in Madison, was from Dr. Thomas Gitchoff of San Diego, Calif. It was sent to the local group from the Statue of Liberty-Ellis Island Foundation Inc. in appreciation of a contribution made by Dr. Gitchoff in the name of the women's church organization.

The Ladies Aid Society marked its 60th anniversary this year.

The organization has participated

in many civic activities through the years and is recognized as one of the first in this region to focus on restoration of the statue. It made a contribution in 1983.

Members agreed to send a \$25 donation to the Salvation Army Tree of Lights. The group played games and exchanged holiday gifts.

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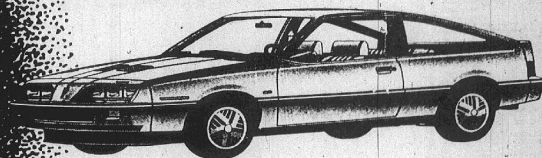
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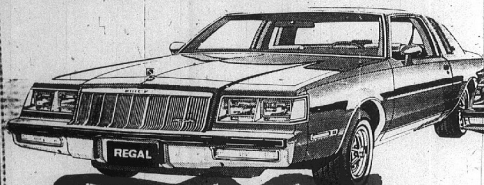
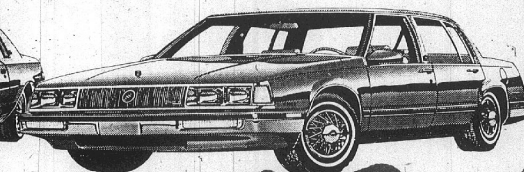
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GCC offers industrial training

Belleville Area College's Granite City Campus is offering night classes for industrial training to all students for the first time during the spring 1986 semester.

Classes will be offered at the Granite City Steel Training Center of the Granite City Division, National Steel Corp., Granite City. Don Pryn, BAC's industrial training coordinator, said day classes for industrial training were offered to all BAC students for the first time during the fall 1985 semester. The classes and training laboratories were well received and many inquiries from students about additional courses led BAC to open night classes at the center, Pryn said.

"We've had students from Belleville and as far away as Columbia and Highland ask about these classes," Pryn said. "There's an untapped reservoir of students that are interested in industrial training."

"There are students throughout the district interested in taking industrial classes at an industrial

site," he added. "It gives them more incentive to take the classes in an industrial environment and might attract some people otherwise not interested."

"Instructors for these classes are active and retired industrial workers," Pryn said. "Some of them have 25 or 30 years of experience in their fields."

Pryn added that industrial training classes are beneficial to students wanting to learn skills, wanting to be retrained for new careers, and wanting to advance in their jobs.

"We're trying to get the word out about these classes," Pryn said. "It's a great program and it's going to grow. There are no restrictions on class sizes. Most classes will have a maximum enrollment of 16 students."

Day classes to be offered at the training center include Industrial Electricity I, Industrial Electricity II, Industrial Math I, Industrial Electronics I, Industrial Digital Electronics, Introduction to

Microprocessors, Programmable Controllers I, General Shop Practices, and Industrial Hydraulics I.

Night classes to be offered at the training center include Industrial Digital Electronics, Introduction to Microprocessors, Industrial Process Control I, Microprocessor Interfacing, Programmable Controllers I, Industrial Metallurgy, Industrial Electricity I, Industrial Electricity II, Electrical Control Systems I, Industrial Electronics I, and Industrial Motors and Generators.

Other night classes include Industrial Electrical Power Distribution, Electric Control Systems II, Industrial Electronics II, Electrical Troubleshooting II, Air Conditioning and Refrigeration I, Air Conditioning and Refrigeration II, Air Conditioning and Refrigeration III, Industrial Blueprint I, Industrial Hydraulics II, Industrial Pipefitting, B, Industrial Hydraulics I, Industrial Hydraulics II, Mechanical Power Transmission, Industrial Bearings, and Industrial Pumps and Compressors.

India to be topic of senior talk at SIUE Jan. 15

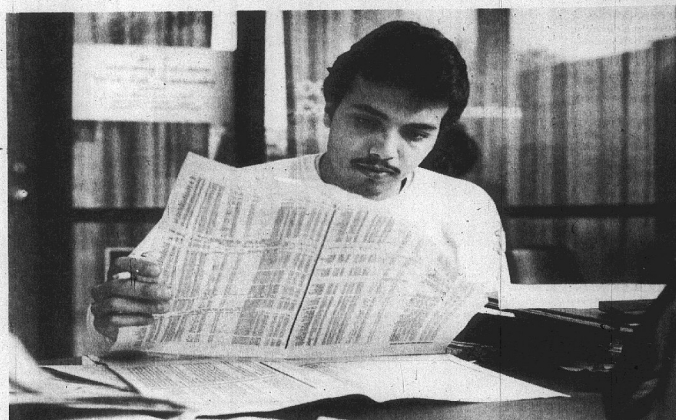
"The Challenge of Modern India" will be the featured topic at the Wednesday, Jan. 15, session of Dialogue with Senior Citizens.

The session will be held at 1:30 p.m. in the Mississippi-Illinois Room of the University Center at Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville.

The Rev. Larry Meinzen, a pastor at the SIUE Religious Center, will discuss India as a modern, young nation beset by internal tensions and hostile neighbors. The session will examine India's survival as a democratic country.

Dialogue is an educational and cultural enrichment program for older adults and is sponsored by the SIUE Gerontology Program. It is free of charge and open to all senior citizens in the Metro-East area.

Transportation will be available from the Senior Citizens Center at 1003 Main St. in Edwardsville. The bus will leave the center at 1 p.m.



GETTING SET FOR WINTER QUARTER. Bruce Mendoza, Granite City, selects the classes he will pursue at Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville this winter. Mendoza is a junior at the university, majoring in management information services. Registration for continuing students is currently underway. (Photo by SIUE)

Registration open at extension center

It's not too early to register for spring semester classes at Belleville Area College's Madison extension center.

Students may register from 6 to 8 p.m. Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, Jan. 13, 14 and 15, at Madison High School, room 109, Sixth and Farish streets.

Credit classes to be offered are: Typing I, 7 to 9:50 p.m. Tuesdays; and Coed Volleyball, 7 to 8:50 p.m., Thursdays.

Non-credit classes to be offered are: Aerobic Dance, 8 weeks (Jan. 20-March 17), 7 to 7:50 p.m., Mondays and Wednesdays; Aerobic Dance, 8 weeks (Jan. 20-March 17), 8 to 8:50 p.m., Mondays and Wednesdays; Photography I, 8 weeks (Jan. 22-March 19), 7 to 9:50 p.m., Wednesdays; Photography II,

8 weeks (Feb. 2-May 21), 7 to 9:50 p.m., Wednesdays; Floral Design, 8 weeks (Jan. 20-March 10), 6 to 7:50 p.m., Mondays; Home Air Conditioning and Refrigeration, 7 to 9:50 p.m., Tuesdays; Beginning Sewing, 11 weeks (Feb. 3-Apr. 21), 7 to 9:50 p.m., Mondays; Intermediate Sewing, 11 weeks (Feb. 6-Apr. 24), 7 to 9:50 p.m., Thursdays; and Upholstering, 7 to 9:50 p.m., Mondays; Upholstering, 7 to 9:50 p.m., Tuesdays; Woodworking and Furniture Refinishing, 7 to 9:50 p.m., Thursdays; Physical Fitness, 7 to 9:50 p.m., Mondays; Physical Fitness, 7 to 9:50 p.m., Wednesdays; Refresher Typing, 7 to 9:50 p.m., Tuesdays; Refresher Shorthand, 7 to

9:50 p.m. Wednesdays; Auto Body Repair, 7 to 9:50 p.m., Mondays; Auto Body Repair, 7 to 9:50 p.m., Tuesdays; Welding, 7 to 9:50 p.m., Mondays; Auto Mechanics, 7 to 9:50 p.m., Mondays; and Small Gas Engines, 7 to 9:50 p.m., Wednesdays.

Computer Literacy, 8 weeks (Jan. 23-March 13), 7 to 9:50 p.m., Thursdays; Computer Literacy, 8 weeks (March 20-May 15), 7 to 9:50 p.m., Thursdays; and Advanced Heating and Air Conditioning, 7 to 9:50 p.m., Fridays.

GED, Basic Reading and ESL (English as a Second Language) classes also are available. For information on these classes, students may call the Basic Education Department, 876-7135 after 6 p.m.

On campus briefs

Other area colleges

ERIC MAASS, a senior at Benedictine College, Atchison, Kan., was named to the dean's honor roll for his academic achievements during the fall quarter. Maass is majoring in biology and chemistry at the college. He is the son of Rosalie Maass of 2325 Woodland Ave.

MICK SHAMBRO, a former Granite City resident, was named to the president's list at Kentucky State University, Frankfort, Ky., for a perfect 4.0 grade point average during the fall semester. Shambro, who is majoring in computer science, was also named to the dean's list at the university. He works part-time as a warehouse manager for the university.

DANIEL HAUG of Granite City has been accepted by Greenville College, Greenville, for the fall term of 1986. Haug is the son of Mr. and Mrs. John Haug.

CATHERINE R. BREIDENBACH, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. William Breidenbach, was named to "Who's Who Among Students in American Universities and Colleges." Breidenbach, of Granite City, is a student at Rockhurst College, Kansas City, Mo.

SHIRLEY LAHR, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Lahr, former residents of Granite City, received a bachelor of science degree from Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville.

TWO GRANITE CITY STUDENTS have been named to the dean's list at Monmouth College, Monmouth, for their academic achievements during the fall semester. These named include Lisa Jackson, a freshman speech communications and theater arts major. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tony Jackson. Tracy Nelson, a freshman chemistry major, was also honored. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Nelson.

STEVEN GIBSON of Granite City graduated from the University of Missouri-Rolla this month. He received a degree in electrical engineering. Gibson is the son of Carl and Janice Gibson of 4 Harrison Ave.

TODD MILLER of Granite City was a marshal during December commencement ceremonies at Eastern Illinois University, Charleston.

BRUCE D. DEKUNTZ of Granite City received a bachelor of science degree from Eastern Illinois University, Charleston, during December commencement ceremonies.

SIU at Edwardsville

KIMBERLY A. BLANKENSHIP of Granite City has been named to the Dean's College at Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville. To be eligible for the Dean's College program, students must have a 4.5 grade point average, and be recommended by five of their classroom teachers. Blankenship is majoring in English language and literature and philosophical studies.

A WORKSHOP ON MANAGEMENT and leadership within small groups will be held at SIUE on Tuesday, Jan. 14. The workshop, which is free and open to the public, is scheduled from 1:30 to 3 p.m. in the Illinois Room of the University Center.

The presentation will emphasize management and leadership in group settings. Additional information may be obtained by contacting the SIUE Office of Student Activities at 1-692-2666.

AN ASBESTOS REMOVAL project at SIUE has been approved by the SIUE Board of Trustees. The board approved a budget of \$276,000 for the project and approved the retention of Randolph and Associates Inc., Peoria, as the engineering firm. The project will remove material containing asbestos from the Communications Building on the SIUE campus and from the mechanical room at the East St. Louis campus.

JANUARY VIDEO SHOWINGS at Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville include "The Blues Brothers" and "The Making of Star Wars." "The Star Wars" video shows how director George Lucas combined special effects, science fiction and technology to make the actual movie. It will be shown at 11:30 a.m. each day, Jan. 13 through 17.

The fast, funny "Blues Brothers" movie features the late John Belushi and Dan Ackroyd as two brothers who form a band to raise funds to help save the orphanage in which they were raised. It will be shown at 11:30 a.m. and 1:50 p.m. each day, Jan. 21 through 24. All Student Program Board videos are free and are shown in the Deja Vu Room on the ground floor of the SIUE University Center.

THE STEPHEN SPIELBERG film, "Gremlins," will be shown Thursday through Saturday, Jan. 16 to 18, at SIUE. The movie about some cute, mischievous, intelligent but very dangerous little pets will be shown in the auditorium on the first floor of the Science Building at 2:30 p.m. Thursday, Jan. 16, at 7 and 9:30 p.m. Friday, Jan. 17, and at 7 p.m. Saturday, Jan. 18.

Admission is \$1 for SIUE students and \$1.50 for non-students. Tickets are available at Union Station in the University Center.

A COMEDY NIGHT CLUB will be presented at SIUE at 8 p.m. Friday, Jan. 17, in the Faculty Club Satellite and University Club Restaurant at the University Center.

Comedians from the St. Louis Funnyparty Comedy Club who are scheduled to appear include Bert Borth, Kevin Walsh, David Markwell and Dan O'Sullivan. Admission is \$2 for SIUE students, faculty and staff, and \$3 for the general public. A cash bar will be available.

Granite City Campus

FREE GED PREPARATION CLASSES will be offered this spring at Granite City Campus, 4950 Maryville Road. The classes prepare students to take the high school equivalency examination.

Classes will meet twice a week for varying lengths of time. For more information, interested persons may call 931-9600.

GRANITE CITY CAMPUS will offer a free English As A Second Language class for students with limited or no English background. The class offers instruction in the fundamentals of English pronunciation, grammar and composition.

The class will meet from 6:30 to 9:15 p.m. Tuesdays and Thursdays, starting Jan. 21 at the Granite City Campus, 4950 Maryville Road. The class meets for eight weeks. For more information, interested persons may call 1-255-2790, ext. 363.

BAC telecourse examines elements of business today

"The Business File: Introduction to Business," a new telecourse being offered by Belleville Area College, provides an in-depth examination of all elements of business today.

The course covers everything from the nuts and bolts of running a small company to the challenges facing high-tech firms.

The television course won a Silver Medal in the 1985 competition sponsored by the Visual Communications Association.

The 28-part series is designed for people already in the work force as well as those wanting to explore a

career in the worlds of manufacturing, trade or finance.

"The Business File" covers everything from forming and managing a small business and its personnel to production, marketing, accounting, investment, legal concerns and the challenges of doing business in an international arena and in a high-tech era.

Dennis Shannon, an instructor at BAC, will be teaching the course. It is his first telecourse.

"I'm excited about the alternative format," he said. "There are dif-

ferent ways of learning, and the telecourse format provides an opportunity that the traditional classroom wouldn't allow."

He said the series, hosted by syndicated radio commentator Alex Burton, has a format similar to ABC's "Nightline." Burton conducts interviews with businessmen, economists, and government business regulators from across the country.

"The program will have interviews with people like economist Milton Friedman and Robert Sieve Miller, executive vice president for Chrysler Corp.," Shannon said. "These are people that are really top-notch in their field."

The television course includes the textbook "Introduction to Business" by Joseph Straub and Raymond Altner, and a study guide by Raymond Altner.

Telecourses give students an opportunity to earn college credit without coming to the campus every week. Telecourse students receive a handbook and assignments to complete in conjunction with programs shown on television or videotape. Few visits to campus are required.

If students miss a program or wish to review one, they may do so in the libraries at BAC's Belleville, Granite City or Red Bud campuses, the Granite City Public Library or the Scott Air Force Base library.

Students may register for telecourses by calling 1-255-2790, extension 200, or 1-235-7900 and may use VISA or MasterCard to pay tuition and fees.

Students may also register by visiting the telecourse office in room 1274 at the Belleville Campus, 2500 Carlyle Road, Belleville.

Chisholm keynote speaker for Dr. King celebration

Former Congresswoman Shirley Chisholm will be the keynote speaker at a luncheon celebrating the "life, legacy and dream" of Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Tuesday, Jan. 14, at Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville.

Chisholm's appearance will be the highlight of the luncheon, which will begin at 11:30 a.m. in Meridian Ballroom in the University Center. Also featured at the luncheon will be the Unity Theater Ensemble in conjunction with dancers from the Katherine Dunham Center for the Performing Arts, SIUE East St. Louis campus.

Other program highlights will include the presentation of essay and poem contest winners. The birthday observance will conclude with a public reception from 1:30 to 3 p.m. in Goshen Lounge in the University Center.

Reservations for the luncheon are \$6 per person and may be made by calling 1-692-2660 no later than Dec. 18.

Chisholm, who was elected to the 91st Congress in 1969, became the only woman and the only Black American to sit on the House Rules Committee. She was a leading member of the Congressional Black Caucus.

In 1972, Congresswoman Chisholm made history by campaigning for the Democratic Party nomination for president, the first black woman to seek the nation's highest office.

In February 1982, Chisholm announced that she would not seek reelection to the Congress. She cited her longstanding intention not to remain in politics throughout her life, but, rather, to write, teach and lecture in order to create "a new national state of mind that demands peace, prosperity and equality for all Americans."

King was born on Jan. 15, 1929, in Atlanta, Ga. On Jan. 10, 1968, the university and the nation will observe a federal holiday celebrating his birth.

Non-credit dance classes set at SIUE this winter

Non-credit classes in ballroom dance, swing, jitterbug, rock and roll and jazz will be offered by the Office of Continuing Education at Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville during the winter quarter. All classes will be held at the Vadalabene Center.

Two sections will be offered in ballroom dance. One section will be held Sundays from 1:30 to 3 p.m., and another section on Mondays from 6:30 to 8 p.m. Sunday classes begin Jan. 12, while Monday classes begin Jan. 13. Registration is \$21.

An advanced class in ballroom

dance is scheduled Mondays, from 8 until 9:20 p.m. Registration is \$21, and classes begin Jan. 13.

Lessons in country western swing dancing will be held Wednesdays from 6:30 until 8 p.m., beginning Jan. 15 and continuing through March 12. Registration is \$21.

Swing, rock and roll, and jitterbug classes will be held Wednesdays from 8 until 9:30 p.m., beginning Jan. 15. Registration is \$21.

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Coming events

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Meetings

OVEREATERS ANONYMOUS will meet at 2 p.m. Sunday, Jan. 12, in the Nursing Education Room at McKinley School.

AL-ANON meets at 8 p.m. today, Jan. 9, at McKinley School, second floor.

ANOREXIA/BULIMIA SELF-HELP GROUP will meet at 7 p.m. today, Jan. 9, at 2120 Madison Ave., Suite 200. Further information is available by calling 876-7515.

EMOTIONS ANONYMOUS will meet at 8 p.m. today, Jan. 9, in the CYS building, 1254 Niedringhaus Ave.

WILSON SCHOOL PTA will meet at 7 p.m. today, Jan. 9, in the school's gym. Dr. Max Redmond, superintendent of schools, will be the featured speaker. All parents are urged to attend.

THE METRO-EAST MS SUPPORT GROUP will meet from 2 to 5 p.m. Sunday, Jan. 12, at Eden Church of Christ, 902 N. Second St., Edwardsville. Further information is available from Marie, 876-8584.

On exhibit

THE CITY OF HIGHLAND presents a display featuring animated villages and brightly lit trees through Friday, Jan. 10, nightly until 10 p.m.

On stage

ERICH LEINS DORF will lead the Saint Louis Symphony Orchestra in performances at 8:30 p.m. Friday and Saturday, Jan. 10 and 11, and at 3 p.m. Sunday, Jan. 12, at Powell Symphony Hall, 718 N. Grand Blvd. at Grand Center, St. Louis. Tickets are \$8 to \$26. Call 1-314-534-2500, ext. 253, for group information; 1-314-534-1700 for regular or student ticket information.



See Other events, Senior citizens

"FORTY SECOND STREET," starring Ruby Keeler and Dick Powell, will be featured at the Wildey Arts Center, 252 N. Main St., Edwardsville, as part of its Winter 1986 film series. The film will be shown at 8 p.m. Friday and Saturday, Jan. 10 and 11, and at 2 p.m. Sunday, Jan. 12. Admission is \$3

for adults and \$2 for children, students and senior citizens.

"MY FRIEND FLICKA" will be shown at 2 p.m. Saturday, Jan. 11, at Wildey Arts Center, 252 N. Main St., Edwardsville, as part of its Winter 1986 children's program. Admission is \$1.

Other events

SIX FLAGS OVER MID-AMERICA has begun accepting applications for its 1986 season. Applicants must be 16 years of age or older and must meet all the requirements of a park host or hostess — from a friendly smile and personality to performing duties in a conscientious manner. Applications will be taken Saturday, Jan. 11, Chalet Des Peres, 1-270 and Manchester Road, 12-6 p.m.

A BENEFIT DANCE to raise funds for the Spanish Center of the Archdiocese of St. Louis will be held from 8 to 11:30 p.m. Saturday, Jan. 11, in the basement of St. Francis de Sales Church, 2653 Ohio Ave., St. Louis. Cost is \$5 per person. Music will be provided by the Miguel Luna Orchestra.

SS. CYRIL AND METHODY EASTERN Orthodox Church, 4770 Maryville Road, will sponsor a fish fry from 4 to 8 p.m. Friday, Jan. 10. Offered will be cod or catfish filets, slaw, fashool beans or french fries, dessert and coffee. Cost is \$3.50 for dinner, \$2 for sandwiches and carryouts are available.

MOOSE LODGE 272 will host a towel social at 7 p.m. Friday, Jan. 10, at 19th and Adams streets. Food and beverages will be available. The kitchen will open at 5 p.m. Twenty-five games will be played. Cost is 50 cents per ticket.

SENIOR CITIZENS interested in learning pinocle may visit the RSVP (Retired Senior Volunteers Program) office until 9 p.m. today, Jan. 9. A senior volunteer will be present to teach the card game. The office is in McKinley School, 22nd and Iowa streets.

Auditions set for Admiral entertainers

Producers of S.S. Admiral entertainment — are looking for the Midwest's most outstanding performers and technicians. Auditions and interviews for positions with a variety of shows will be conducted Friday, Jan. 10, and Saturday, Jan. 11, at the Marriott Pavilion Hotel's Hawthorne Ballroom.

Bob Kochan, director of marketing and entertainment for the former excursion vessel, said, "We will be casting more than 100 entertainment-related positions at these auditions. A wide variety of entertainment is planned for the Admiral."

The Admiral is seeking singers who can also dance, variety acts, strolling entertainers, musicians,

stage managers and technicians, wardrobe seamstresses and dressers. Some positions will be full-time, and some will be seasonal. Anyone auditioning or interviewing for a position is to bring a current resume.

Those interested in singing/dancing roles will register at 9 a.m. They are to bring music (one up-tempo and one ballad in his or her key) and appropriate dance wear. Auditions will be limited to two minutes. Dance combinations will be given by the show's choreographer.

Producers will audition established bands and individual players. A drum set and piano will be provided, with registration set for 9 a.m. Variety and specialty acts also are planned, including tap dancers,

magicians, balloon sculptors, jugglers and barber shop quartets. Clowns, mimes, breakdancers and rock or country bands also will be auditioned after registration at 10 a.m. Also, a character actor is to be hired to act as the ship's official host.

Beginning at 1 p.m. musicians can register to audition for the Admiral All-Star Orchestra. Established big bands of up to 13 pieces will also be considered. Also reporting then will be applicants for technical positions.

The Admiral, scheduled to premiere this spring, will feature five decks of entertainment as well as boutiques and restaurants, according to a spokesman at 1-314-436-7447.



Holiday greetings

SUBMARINERS on the USS Boston (SSN 703), homeported in New London, Conn., send their best wishes and thanks for the Christmas cookies, STS 3 Thomas A. Lewis of Granite City serves on the nuclear submarine but is not identified in the photo.

Pound animal sales opposed

Animal protection groups hope to persuade the Madison County Board to stop selling dogs and cats from the county pound for medical experimentation.

A coalition of five groups is circulating petitions against the practice, which produced about \$13,000 for the county last year.

The matter was raised in a County Board meeting Dec. 18 but the board's animal control committee will review the situation before making a recommendation to the board, probably in January.

COMMITTEE CHAIRMAN Michael Semanisin, D-Maryville, said he sees pros and cons to the practice, but commented that the research is valuable to society.

Another committee member, Charles Burns, D-rural Edwardsville, said, "Research is good, but the shelter was designed more as a sanctuary for animals than a warehouse for research."

Dogs and cats brought to the pound by citizens, or caught by animal control officers, are kept for five days before being destroyed or sold for research.

Animals have been sold to researchers for 10 to 12 years.

THE GROUPS involved in the petition effort are the Alton Area Animal Aid Association, the Animal Safety and Humane Control Society of Bethalto, the Edwardsville Kennel Club, the Association for the Protection of Animals of Granite City

and the Collinsville Humane Society. James K. Monday, county director of administration, said there have been no formal complaints and no petitions have been presented to the county. However, individual board members have been contacted by those opposed to the sales, Monday said.

Dorothy English, who writes a column on pets, said many individuals, in addition to the organizations, are involved in the effort to stop the sale of animals.

She said the Madison County shelter is the only one in the area now selling animals for research.

NATIONWIDE pound animals constitute only about 2 percent of the animals used in research, so stopping such sales would not significantly affect research, she said.

English said the county sells animals for a "pittance" compared to what citizens pay to adopt an

animal. She said stopping the practice would not significantly affect the county's finances.

"There's no good reason not to stop it," she said.

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**Mr. and Mrs. Robert Ficker
Ficker-Mobley**

Dana Lorraine Mobley and Robert Alan Ficker were married Nov. 16 at Glenview Chapel Assembly of God Church by the Rev. Mike Ring. The bride is the daughter of Mrs. Dewane (Linda) Ollis of Poplar Bluff, Mo., and of Raymond Doolin, of Granite City, and the groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard (Phyllis) Ficker Sr. of Granite City. The maid of honor was Tracie Millard and bridesmaids included Sheila Ollis, sister-in-law of the bride, Shannon Doolin, sister of the bride, and Linda Brown, Jamie Hayes, and Channa Weckman, a cousin of the bride. The best man was Steve Ficker, brother of the groom, and groomsmen were Stephen Johnson, cousin of the bride, Rick Ficker Jr., the groom's brother, and Kevin and Keith Flaughter, cousins of the

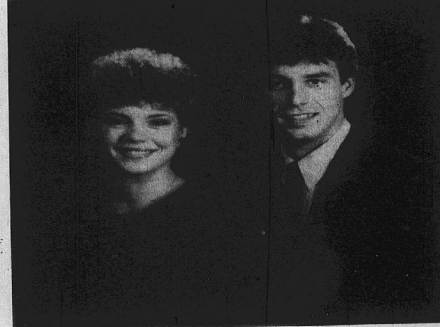
groom. Brandi Nychole Mobley, daughter of the bride, served as the flower girl, and the ringbearer was Steven Edward Ficker Jr., the groom's nephew. Seating the guests were Darin Ollis, brother of the bride, and Mark Dowdy. A reception was held at the Polish Hall in Madison. After a wedding trip to the Lake of the Ozarks, the newlyweds are residing in Granite City. The bride is a graduate of Poplar Bluff High School and is employed by S.G. Adams Printing and Stationery Co., St. Louis, as a cathode ray tube operator. The groom, a graduate of Granite City High School, is employed by Southwest Steel Supply of Madison as a receiving foreman.



**Mr. and Mrs. Brian Oestrick
Oestricker-Hamilos**

Miss Karen Marie Hamilos and Brian Douglas Oestrick were married Nov. 2 at St. Elizabeth Catholic Church by the Rev. Henry Schmidt. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Chris (Ann) Hamilos and the groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Doug (Karen) Oestrick, all of Granite City. Organist Jane Kozielski accompanied Chris Hamilos, a brother of the bride, as he sang several nuptial selections. The maid of honor was Carol Hursey and the bridesmaids included Jeanne Morris and Donna Oestrick, a sister of the groom. The best man was Tim Ostendorf and groomsmen were Dr. David Hamilos and Christopher Hamilos,

brothers of the bride, Jim Lombardi, a cousin of the bride, served as an usher. A reception was held at the Knights of Columbus Hall in Edwardsville. After a wedding trip to the Missouri Ozarks, the couple is living in Granite City. The bride is a 1979 graduate of Granite City High School North and is employed by the Dailey & Walker law firm of Granite City as a legal secretary. The groom graduated from Granite City High School North in 1980 and from Belleville Area College in 1983, receiving an associate degree in law enforcement. He is employed at National Food Store in Granite City as a clerk.



**JoEllen Stephens and Mark Hackmann
Stephens-Hackmann**

Miss JoEllen Stephens, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Larry P. (Barbara Blevins) Stephens of Belleville, former local residents, and Mark Hackmann, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert (Dorothy) Hackmann of Belleville, have announced their engagement. Miss Stephens is a 1981 graduate of Belleville Township High School West and attended Belleville Area College. She is employed by Fair-

view Heights Community Bank as a customer service representative. Her fiancé is a 1979 graduate of Belleville Township High School West and a 1984 graduate of the University of Missouri at Rolla. He is employed as an electrical engineer by Union Electric Co. in St. Louis. The couple is planning an April 18 wedding at Signal Hill Methodist Church in Belleville.

Amvets and Auxiliary host holiday parties

The annual Christmas party for the Auxiliary of Amvets Post 51 and guests was held at the Amvets Post Home. Special guests were Janean Baker, auxiliary state president, Dolores Hill, auxiliary past state president, and Joyce Parkhill, Division's president. Also, Dave Parkhill, Illinois Amvets commander; Norman Bess, Amvets state executive director; Joe White, Amvets Division 3, 4 and 5 commander and Danny VonDracke, Amvets Division 5 service vice commander. This year's theme was an old-fashioned Christmas, with each auxiliary member exchanging a homemade gift. In keeping with the tradition, Post Commander Clay Varner and Post Auxiliary President Albert Manning exchanged gifts. Each also received a gift from the members. After a buffet, members and

guests enjoyed an evening of dancing, with the music provided by Jerry Adams' County Music Machine. The annual children's Christmas party for members' children and grandchildren was held the following day. About 40 adults and children attended the event. The highlight of the evening was a visit by Santa Claus and each child had the opportunity to sit on Santa's knee and have a picture taken as well as receiving a stocking of candy, toys and fruit. After Santa left, all enjoyed a luncheon served by auxiliary members.

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Auxiliary projects for holiday season

Amvets Auxiliary 51 gave 60 residents of the Madison County Shelter Care Home a Christmas party in December, serving ice cream and cake, with each person receiving a bag of assorted fruit. They also attended the OATH (Organization for Advancement of The Handicapped) Christmas dinner party, with each client receiving a bag of assorted fruit, nuts and candy from the auxiliary. Other holiday services included preparing several boxes of food that were given to a family for the holidays. The auxiliary also gave several gift-wrapped toys to another family which has two young children.

A Christmas box was sent to a serviceman who is stationed in Germany and a Christmas gift was sent to an Amvet member who resides at the Illinois Veterans Home in Quincy. Cases of apples, oranges, bananas and grapes were taken to the U.S.O. at Lambert Field for servicemen and their families by auxiliary members. Those who assisted with the monthly projects were Ann Tucker, Alberta Manninger, Carol Jarrett, Barb Siebert and Brenda White. Amvet service officer Floyd Tucker and Joe White also participated in the projects.

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WIZ nightclub provides distinctive entertainment

By BONITA GOWER
Staff writer

SAUGET — Owners- and social club members held the opening of the WIZ nightclub recently, calling it a place with a musical difference. WIZ, which is in the end of a remodeled warehouse on Route 3, cost \$1 million to renovate, one

owner said. It concentrates on music from black artists. Rich and Vincent Saugat, who also own the OZ and Pop's Saloon and Eats next door, also are involved in the ownership and management of the new club.

However, Rich Saugat said he did not intend for blacks to leave the OZ for the WIZ and felt there would be a lot of mixing and mingling between clubs.

"We felt with the proximity to St. Louis and OZ, we could get the same type clientele we get at the OZ" at the WIZ, but they would have a different choice of music, Saugat said. "People would have better options. It's a club for everyone; not any particular group."

WIZ and OZ are comparable in size and layout and have up-to-date sound and lighting equipment, he added.

Two members of Breakaway Unlimited Inc., a St. Louis area social club which often hosts dances at the OZ, said they enjoyed the opening and expected the area would one day have such a business.

"It was an eventuality," said James Witherspoon. "For the clientele they're trying to attract, it's been a much-needed place. We're happy to be affiliated with it." He said the organization has had a business relationship with Saugat at the OZ for about five years and was successful in turning over the

clientele during the group's functions. Mel Lovings, president of Breakaway, said he saw the renovation of WIZ as a business move for the Saugats.

"I think they used the same framework as in the movies," he said. "They probably felt there was a need for this type place."

Both Witherspoon and Lovings disagreed with comments that the WIZ was built solely for blacks and to keep blacks out of the OZ.

"Upscale blacks" didn't have a really nice place to go and enjoy music they prefer until WIZ opened, Witherspoon said.

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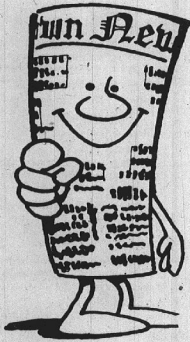
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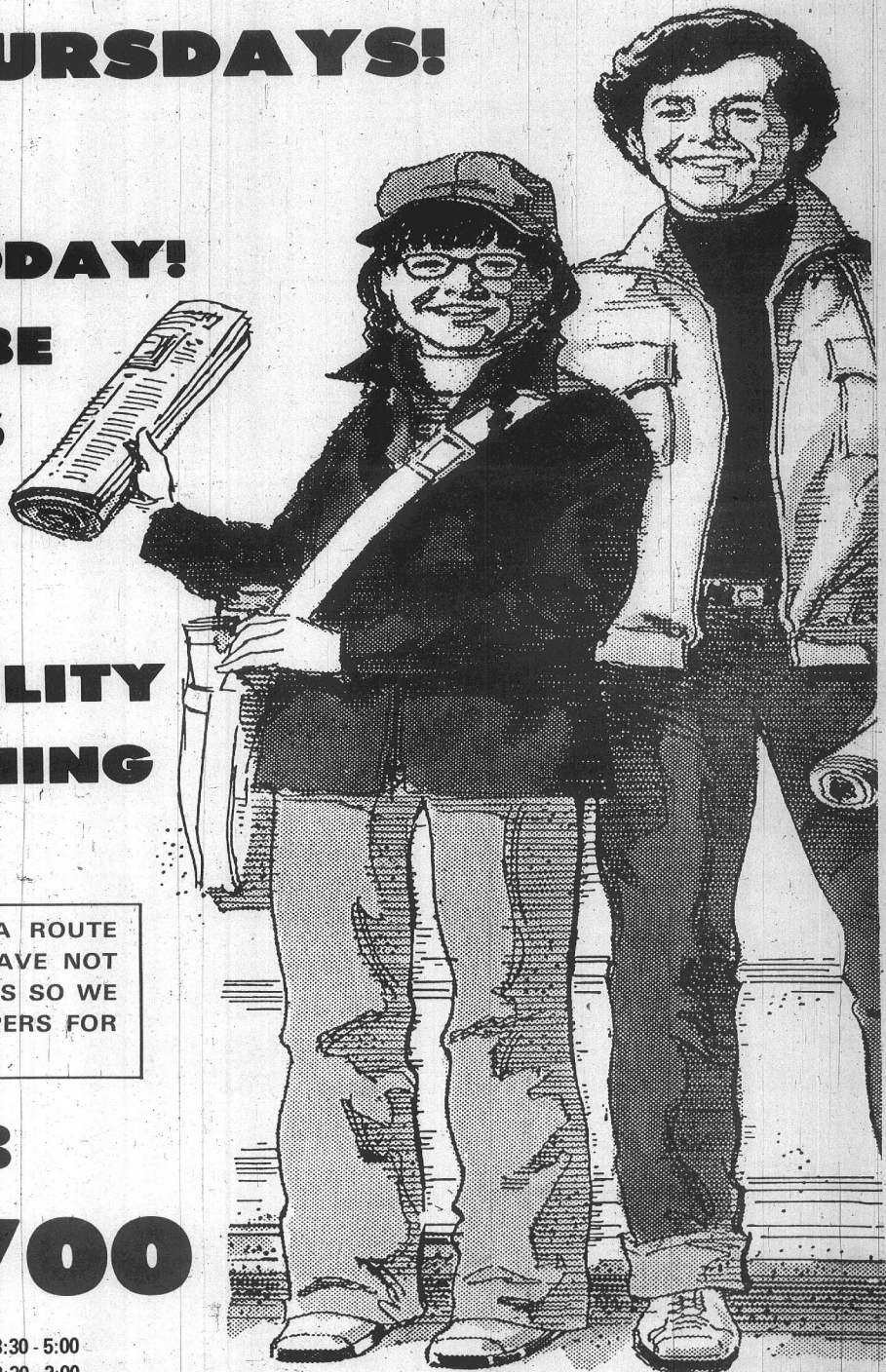
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Hall shot nips Vashon

VENICE — The Red Devils became giant killers here Tuesday night, edging Vashon 50-48 on Jesse Hall's jumper at the buzzer.

Hall's 15-foot shot from the baseline swished through the net as the buzzer sounded. The win upped Venice's record to 9-3.

The loss for the Wolverines was the first this season after 10 straight victories. The loss also snapped a 20-game Vashon winning streak over the past two seasons. The Wolverines are the defending Missouri state champions.

Hall scored a game-high 27 points. Teammate Ed Ware chipped in with 11.

Vashon was led by center Anthony Bonner, who scored 15 points. Anthony Jones added 12 for the Wolverines.

"We didn't take advantage of some situations, and when you are away from home you have to," said Vashon Coach Floyd Irons.

The Red Devils were able to give Vashon all they could handle by using an aggressive zone defense. Venice was aided by the poor outside shooting of Vashon.

"I figured if we played man we don't have the answer to match up," said Red Devil Coach Clinton Harris. "So we played what I call a hustling zone."

Called a 2-3 zone, the defense featured Hall roaming all over the court. The different looks confused the Wolverines.

The lack of a solid perimeter game and fouls posed problems for Vashon. The No. 1-ranked large school team in the Metro

East area.

Anthony Jones fouled out in the fourth quarter and Gerald Jones was hit with three fouls and forced to sit on the bench early in the game.

Still it was the icy shooting that spelled doom for the Wolverines. "We wanted to bring them out of that 2-3 zone when we got that six-point lead, but we missed shots we normally hit," said Irons.

Venice remained in the zone, neutralizing the taller Vashon squad. The Devils used their quickness. Hall, the area's leading rebounder, added 14 more to his total.

After a 7-point third quarter, the Red Devils heated things up. They outscored Vashon 19-15 in the final eight minutes.

"We had nothing to lose," Harris said. "We were a little school playing No. 1. I told my kids all we had to do was play sound fundamental ball."

Venice raced to a 16-14 lead after the first quarter. The Devils scored four quick points in the second quarter. Judicious Kizeart tipped in a shot by Ware and Hall scored underneath.

Things then slowed a bit as each squad scored just 8 points each in the quarter. The Red Devils led 24-22 at the intermission.

In the second half, both teams started slowly. Vashon played more of a controlled offense, looking to break the zone. Vashon's Bonner continued to be a force, and with 1:55 left, the Wolverines led by one.



JESSE HALL had 27 points to lead Venice past Vashon.

Madison's girls smash Beaumont

By GREGG OCHOA Executive Sports Editor

MADISON — This may have been only their second victory of the season, but getting there the Madison girls basketball team has learned something.

They have learned some new offensive plays and have learned to take what the opposition will give them. The Trojanettes studied hard and it paid off.

Madison blasted Beaumont of St. Louis 68-35 Wednesday afternoon in Madison. The Trojanettes are now 2-4. Beaumont is 0-4.

"I feel really good about this one," said Madison coach Carol Cole. "This is the first game we played with our heads on straight."

Tammy Deal and Alanna Browley each popped in 18 points to lead the Madison attack. In all, seven players scored for the Trojanettes.

Deal, the team's leading scorer, also had seven assists and seven rebounds. Strange as it sounds, the 5-6 Deal is the team's center. She is also one of the quickest Trojanettes. A state track qualifier in the 440, Deal plays the front of the press.

"I moved Tammy to center in the Lincoln tournament," Cole said. "Even though she is only 5-6 she is the best jumper on the team and she was getting some rebounds and scoring."

Browley, the point guard, also played a fine game. She had nine assists.

"It's funny," Cole said. "Usually when Tammy has a good game Alanna has a good game."

The Trojanettes zoomed to a 10-0 lead and never looked back. Six of those points came from Wanda

Baker, who connected on her first three shots from the floor.

Beaumont didn't score until there was 3:52 left in the first quarter. Alicia Williams hit a short jumper to break the drought.

Williams was Beaumont's leading scorer with 14 points. Johnetta Fowler added 12.

Madison led 16-10 after the first quarter, but really opened things up in the second period.

The Trojanettes executed the running game and using quick passes ran off 12 unanswered points, increasing their lead to 28-10.

"We practiced some things and they seemed to work pretty well. I designed some new plays just for them. They named each one of them, sort of personalized. The girls actually started spotting things out there and making the quick passes," Cole said.

Madison led at the half 34-17 and the game, in all practicality, was over.

The Trojanettes were able to exploit the lack of quickness of Beaumont who played a lot of man-to-man defense. A lot of times Madison spread the court leaving the lane wide open for an easy pass and layup.

Earlier in the year we were having trouble with that defense. We didn't know what to do and we would tense up," Cole said.

The Trojanettes, despite playing without a senior in the starting five, looked relaxed and were able to handle Beaumont.

Madison led 46-26 after three quarters. The Trojanettes outscored

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Wrestlers prepare for showdown with Lancers

By GREGG OCHOA Executive Sports Editor

BELLEVILLE — Granite City will look to keep its armlock on the neck of the area's wrestling troupes in a matchup of high school powerhouses Friday.

The Warriors, the top-ranked Metro-East prep team in one newspaper poll, meet Belleville East, with the action beginning approximately at 7 p.m. at the Lancers' gym.

"This could be the biggest dual meet of the year for our area," said Warrior Coach Walt Whitaker.

Granite City enters the meet at 9-1. Belleville East is 6-0 prior to a scheduled match with East St. Louis on Thursday.

"We think we match up pretty well with Granite," said East Coach Urban Baum. "We want to win this one awfully bad."

The Lancers lost only two seniors from last year's team and were the pre-season choice of most observers as the area's top team.

However, along the way, East stumbled a little. They had some problems and had two starters who are currently ineligible.

Belleville East grabbed third in the 25th annual Granite City Holiday Tournament despite crowning three individual champions. The Warriors were the team titlists.

"We were only a first or second place away from winning it," Baum said.

Still, the Lancers are strong and both coaches expect a close meet and a tough fight. Like Baum, Whitaker and his team have spent a lot of time in practice.

"With the matchups the way they are, preparation is the main thing," Whitaker said. "We have worked hard this week. We are going to be as ready as we can."

The meet will feature two rematches of championship bouts at the Holiday Tournament.

At 98 pounds, Brent Davis (16-3) gets another shot at Jason

Stroner (14-1). The 112-pound bout will pit the Warriors' Gary Mann (15-3-1) against East's Jim Arendell (17-1). In the Holiday Tournament, Arendell edged Mann 3-2 in the finals.

Other weight classes feature Granite's Brett Garner (16-4) vs. Steve Schmeizel (11-4) at 119. At 132, Tracey Morrison (16-3-1) will go against Scott Schmeizel (14-3).

The 138-pound match will be Granite City's Chuck Sparks (17-2) and East's Steve Knoebel (16-1).

"It's really scary," said Whitaker in looking over the individual pairings. "Some of their good kids are right there with ours."

"But that's the kind of stuff we need in our area if we are going to advance to state and do well."

If there is an advantage, it may be in the following weight classes: 145, 155 and 167 pounds.

"Right now, those are the weights we are weak at," Baum said. Part of the reason is that Ricky Chambers is ineligible. He is 11-1 and normally holds down the 167 slot. East's other scratch is Craig Schwab at 126. He was a state qualifier last year.

For Granite City, East's shakiness in those three weights is countered by some muscle.

Dennis Gabriel, who wrestles at 145, is 15-4. At 167, the Warriors Mike Penoglio is 15-3.

Senior Chris Greer is back from an ankle injury, but only started practicing with the team on Tuesday.

Greer will move up to the heavyweight division, replacing sophomore Ross Karbarski. Greer is no stranger to the class. He wrestled there last year.

"He's happy to move up," Whitaker said. "I think he is more comfortable there. I really think it will help him. In the heavier weight he doesn't have to be as quick."

On the season, Greer is 6-3 wrestling at 185. He has not wrestled at heavyweight this year. Belleville East will counter with Scott Watson (11-4). Massey was injured during the Granite City Holiday Tournament.

Filling the void left by Greer will be Mike Lynch, a junior. He will likely face the Lancers' Rick Barrett (10-5) in the 185-pound bout.

Barrett was the third place finisher in the Granite City meet. The winner of Friday's meet will likely have the inside track as the post-season runner, especially for seeding purposes for the Southwestern Conference tournament on Feb. 8.

Restlers are seeded based on head-to-head meetings during the year.

On a negative note, the recent injuries and illness took its toll on Granite City last weekend. The Warriors, with four regulars out of action, lost their first match of the season to Pekin, 43-17. Granite City, however, beat Bartonsville in the Granite City meet, 57-24.

"It's tough," Whitaker said of the misfortunes. "But I guess we can be considered lucky that it has happened now and not later on in the season."

Still, Granite City has maintained its lofty position in the Metro East rankings.

"It's nice, but also kind of surprising because a lot of Missouri coaches vote in that poll," Whitaker said. "It must say something about our program. It also puts a lot of pressure on the coaches and the kids."

As for a favorite in the Belleville East match?

"Even with their injuries I would say that (Granite) would have a slight edge," Baum said.

"They will have the edge," said Whitaker. "It's at their place on their mats and they'll have the home crowd."

This one is a tossup. Get out the coin.

Trojans crunch Minutemen

By DAVE WHALEY Staff writer

BUNKER HILL — If the Minutemen during the Revolutionary War had been beaten this badly, we might all be speaking with a British accent today.

The Madison Trojans played the part of the "redcoats" Tuesday night against the Bunker Hill Minutemen and rolled to an easy 74-48 victory. The win was beneficial, not only in the won-loss department, but in that Coach Rodney Watson got a chance to look at many of his reserves for an extended period of time.

The Trojans, moving to 7-4 on the season, led 17-9 after one period and 31-17 at halftime. The Minutemen never closed the gap to less than 15 points in the second half as Madison's pressure defense and quick hands left the outcome never in doubt.

"We can finally talk about something positive after a game," said a relieved Watson. "We came out and took charge early and didn't let it get away."

As a result, 10 players dented the scoresheet for the Trojans, including little-used players such as Carlos Briggs (7 points) and Sean Mosby (2 points).

Playing at Bunker Hill can give a visiting team an eerie feeling that it is walking into a snakepit. One of the smallest of the small schools (enrollment: 250), the school nevertheless has a good basketball tradition.

Coach Jim Hlaska has won over 400 games in his career and the Minutemen had a 31-game winning streak a couple of years ago.

The Trojans, however, were undaunted. Anthony Valentine, who led all scorers with 15 points, scored on the first trip down the court, and it was 6-0 before Bunker Hill scored. The Minutemen stayed close until Lamonte Johnson hit two jumpers near the end of the quarter, and Madison led, 17-9. The Trojans connected on 8-of-10 shots in the opening eight minutes.

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MADISON SCORING		14	17	28	74
BUNKER HILL		9	25	16	48
MADISON		15	10	10	45
STANLEY		10	10	10	30
TERRELL		10	10	10	30
YOUNG		10	10	10	30
BUNKER HILL		10	10	10	30
JORDAN		10	10	10	30
LEWIS		10	10	10	30
RULL		10	10	10	30
MORTLAND		10	10	10	30
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Watson said he knew coming to Bunker Hill would not be an automatic win.

"Jim Hlaska is a great coach and he always has a competitive team," Watson said. "Usually they're more than competitive. But they're hurting for money in the district right now and the players have to pay to play on the team. I'm sure that's cost him some players. But they've got four freshmen on the JV team that look pretty good, so I would expect them to be real tough in the next couple of years."

Pressing on defense was the game plan going in.

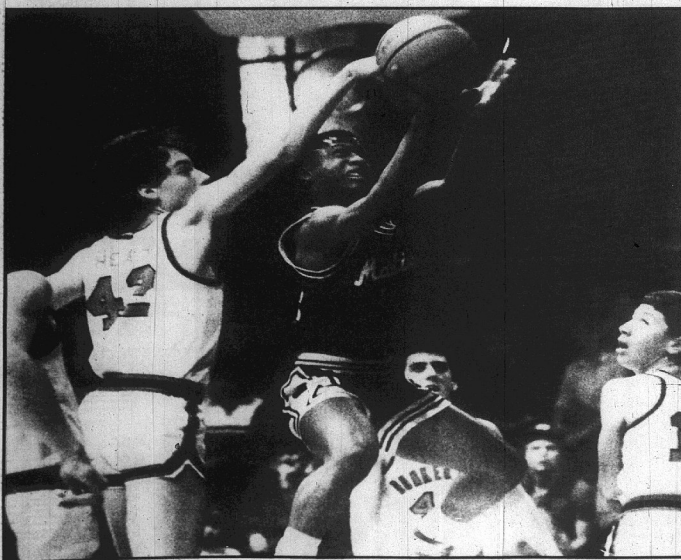
"We started out that way and for once we kept with our game plan," Watson said. "That's something we had had problems with. Our pressure hurt them. They've got deceptive quickness and don't turn the ball over much. But we got them out of their game."

"That's how we get our points. Our defense is our offense. We're coming along. This is a much better game than Friday (a 68-54 win at Assumption)."

Especially impressive was Stanley, a 6-3 junior center, who hadn't received any substantial playing time on the varsity level until last Friday. A good-looking athlete who moves around well despite the basket, he had 10 points Tuesday in a starting role, replacing Jacks, who had 8 points off the bench.

"No question we wanted to shake things up a bit," Watson said about a change in the starting five. "Stanley's playing well for us and we're proving that we've got eight or

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DARNELL ON THE MOVE. Madison's Darnell Marshall drives between Bunker Hill's Heath Finn (42) and Gary Rull for a basket.

(Staff photo by Dave Whaley)

Lady Warriors fall to Collinsville, 46-38

By GARY S. KING
Staff Writer

GRANITE CITY — If "almosts" counted in anything besides horseshoes, the Granite City girls basketball team would have had something to show for their best effort thus far of the season.

Unfortunately, the game will go down as just another tally in the loss column for the lady roundballers, who, despite a spirited effort, fell to Collinsville 46-38 on Tuesday evening at Memorial Gymnasium.

Despite the loss, Granite City coach John Hutchings saw some things in his squad's performance that pleased him.

"I think that our effort in the first three quarters was about the best I've seen all year," he said. "Our zone stopped them cold in the first half and if we would have hit some of the shots we missed under the basket, we could've really opened the game up."

The Kahoks, indeed, seemed troubled by the Warrior zone in the first quarter, as they were able to score only 8 points, many of which came off fast break opportunities.

A three-point play by senior guard Alicia Melton gave the Warriors a 12-8 advantage at the end of the period.

The Warriors' biggest lead of the contest came when Melton sank a pair of free throws with just over two minutes remaining in the first half to give Granite a 20-16 lead. However, the Kahoks managed to knot the score at 22-22 just before the intermission.

Neither squad was able to establish its offense in the third quarter, as they each managed only nine points, which left the score locked at 31-31 with a quarter to play.

Following a lone jumper by Collinsville's Kathy Palmer to open the

SCORING					
GRANITE CITY	12	10	9	7	28
COLLINSVILLE	8	14	16	8	46

GRANITE CITY: Tonisnkoetter 6, Cox 10 (5 steals), Melton 12, Barrington 4, Sykes 5 (5 steals).
COLLINSVILLE: Kassing 12, Palmer 4, Voss 14, LeCuyer 6, Freeman 8, Thompson 2.

final stanza, the lady Warriors momentarily fell apart.
On the ensuing inbounds pass, the Kahoks' Dianne Kassing stole the ball and drove in for an easy layup. Seconds later, Kassing struck again when she robbed Granite City's Betty Barrington of the ball and pumped in two more points to give the Kahoks a 37-31 lead.

The Warriors had an opportunity to close the gap after they forced two successive Collinsville turnovers, but they were unable to put the ball in the net on either occasion. A free throw by Melton and a basket by center Loretta Cox closed the Kahok advantage to three, 41-38, but Granite City was unable to get any closer.

Although the loss dropped the Warriors' record to 0-5, Hutchings points out that his team is still in good spirits.
"The girls don't seem to be down at all," Hutchings said. "Tonight was probably their best effort of the year. If we wouldn't have had that lapse in the fourth period, I think it would have been a whole different story. Those three steals really killed us."

"We needed to be just a little more aggressive tonight. Our full court press didn't work because we weren't aggressive with it. Also, Maria (Tonisnkoetter) missed some shots underneath that she normally hits. We've been shooting around 28 percent from the field, and we need to improve on that."



COLLINSVILLE'S ALEXIS YUSS goes up for two of her game-high 14 points over Granite City's Loretta Cox.

(Staff photo by Gary S. King)

"I have been pleased with the play of Alicia (Melton) and Loretta (Cox) so far. They're both seniors and I think that they want to win some games this year. We have the talent to win. Now we just need to put everything together and do it."

Melton led the Warrior attack with

12 points, while Cox turned in a 10-point, 5-steal performance. Tonisnkoetter and Sykes each pumped in six points, while Barrington finished with 4.

The Warriors were to face Belleville East in an away game to day.

Girls

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Beaumont 22-9 in the final quarter.

Cole left her starters in for most of the game, just to let the players get more experience. "This is the first game where we actually put it together and played with our head in the game. We adjusted to what was happening," Cole said.

Madison is idle until Jan. 13 when they host Granite City at 6 p.m.

SCORING					
BEAUMONT	10	7	9	3	29
MADISON	10	12	22	6	50

BEAUMONT: Fowler 12, Williams 14, Peterson 6, Brown 1, Johnson 2, FG 16, FT 3.

MADISON: Deal 18 (7 assists), Gibson 14, A. Brown 10 (9 assists), Baker 10, Kullum 8, S. Brown 4, Echols 4, Branch 2, FG 24, FT 14.

SIUE clips

Badgers, 83-69

By AL BARNES

Staff writer

EDWARDSVILLE — Two colleges represent Mobile, Ala. in basketball: the University of South Alabama and Spring Hill College. Both have enjoyed considerable success through the years, but the Spring Hill College Badgers found the going rough on the road Monday night at the Valdalahene Center at Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville.

Coach Larry Graham saw his Cougar cagers capture an 83-69 victory in a game that was much closer than the score would indicate.

SIUE-E ipped its season record to 6-5, while Spring Hill dropped to 0-9. SIUE has 15 more games remaining: 12 at home and three on the road.

The Badgers played on equal terms with SIUE and left the floor at halftime trailing by just three points, 32-29.

In the first 20 minutes the lead exchanged hands four times. The holiday layoff, despite games on Jan. 3-4, appeared to slow up the Cougars. John Edwards (23 points) and Kenny Stanley (22 points) paced the Cougars. Edwards had 12 rebounds, high for both teams. Stanley grabbed eight rebounds.

Chris Williams dropped in 20 points to lead the Badgers. Mike Rehe had 15 and Roy Ralston scored 11 points.

Midway through the second half, SIUE-E appeared ready to break the game wide open. The Cougars moved to a 50-37 advantage. Spring Hill, however, fought back, cutting the SIUE lead to six points with 6:58 left in the game.

After Graham called a time out, the Cougars zoomed to a 70-58 lead to put the game out of reach.

Venice's Jesse Hall Athlete of Month

By DAVE WHALEY

Staff writer

The identity of the Press-Record Athlete of the Month for December was largely unknown for most of the month.

Until the Columbia-Freeburg Holiday Basketball Tournament, that is. The bad news from the tournament was that the Venice Red Devils were beaten, 75-74, by Lebanon in the championship game, as the Greyhounds' Donald Vann hit a short jump shot with 4 seconds left.

The good news was that the Red Devils had by far the premier player in the four-day tourney. For scoring 139 points in four games and smashing four individual scoring marks in the 21-year old event, Jesse Hall is the Press-Record Athlete of the Month.

And just to let everyone know December would not be the only time for him to shine, Hall did it again Tuesday night. Tied with Vashon High of St. Louis, the defending Missouri Class 4A champions and the best large school team in the St. Louis area this year, the Devils got the ball to Hall, who hit a 15-foot baseline jumper to give Venice a 50-48 win.

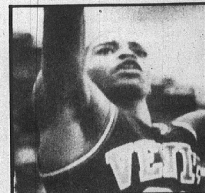
In 10 games in the month, Hall had 268 points (26.8) per game, and was the leading scorer in the Metro East area after Tuesday's game, averaging 25.9 on the year. He is also the leading rebounder in the area, with 12.8 per game, sixth in steals (38) and 17th in assists (34).

"He's the best junior in the area," said Venice Coach Clinton Harris. "And he wants the ball in the last minutes of the close games. It just shows how competitive he is and how much he wants to win."

Through the first six games of the year, Hall was averaging just over 21 points per game, but he found the Columbia gym to his liking. He popped in a tournament record 48 points in the first round win over Cardinal Ritter, and followed with games of 20, 34 and 37 points to earn tournament MVP honors. The 6-3 junior swingman set tournament marks for most points in one game, most field goals in one game (21) and most field goals in the tournament (60). All of those marks had been set in 1970 by Venice's Cedric Gardner.

Hall also thrilled the crowds with several spectacular slam dunks, including a rebound and stuff with 15 seconds left in the championship game that gave Venice a lead that Vann took away.

Hall is making his mark as one



Jesse Hall

of the best players in Southern Illinois, although Alton's Larry Smith has gotten more attention.

"Jesse was in a basketball camp with Smith last summer," Harris said after the Columbia tournament. "I would say right now that Smith is one step better, but Jesse is only a junior."

Hall has proven to be his best in big games, scoring 26 in an overtime win over cross-town rival Madison Dec. 20, plus his efforts in the win over Vashon and the thrilling, though heartbreaking, loss to Lebanon.

With the Red Devils at 9-3, there are many more big games ahead. And with Hall on their side, Harris and Venice fans can breathe easy.

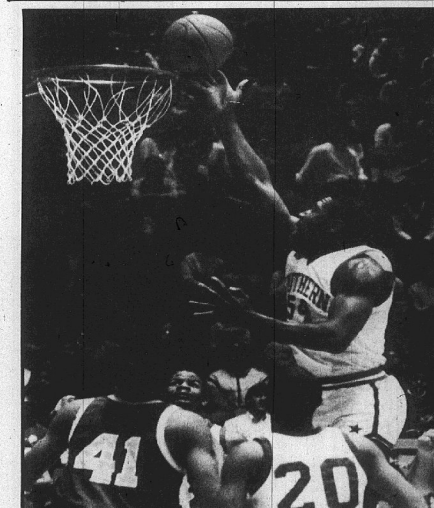
Other nominees for Athlete of the Month were:

Tim Hogan, Granite City basketball: The 6-9 junior guard is averaging 20.1 points per game (sixth in the Metro East) and has added 50 assists and 29 steals to rank in the top ten in those categories in helping the Warriors to an 11-2 start. He has also made 86 percent of his free throws.

Anthony Valentine, Madison basketball: The 6-0 senior guard is averaging 19.1 points (seventh in the Metro East). Quarterbacking the Trojans' offense, Valentine has 29 assists and 18 steals and has connected on 74 percent of his free throws.

Maria Tonisnkoetter, Granite City girls basketball: Despite an 0-5 start for John Hutchings' team, Tonisnkoetter is averaging 11 points per game for the Lady Warriors. She had a high of 14 points in the season opener against East St. Louis Assumption Dec. 9.

Brent Davis, Granite City wrestling: The 98-pound freshman ended the month with a record of 10-3 with 14 pins. Davis reached the finals of the Granite City Holiday Tournament, finishing second in helping the Warriors capture the overall title.



DROPPING IT IN. SIUE's John Edwards lays in an easy basket on Monday's win over Spring Hill (Ala.).

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Elks	1	McCormick Travel	3	Maryville Pharmacy	5	Chiefs	1-0-0	Rowdies	4-2-0	Alton Optimists Blue	0-5-1	GC Elks White	5-1-0
Optimist Blue	2	Highland Shamrocks	0	Bethalto	2	Rowdies 73	1-0-0	Rowdies	4-2-0			Chiefs	4-1-1
Elks 75	3	Alton Stars	7			GC Elks	0-0-1	Florianstang Cougars	0-0-1			Grey Lightning	3-3-0
MAC Banditos	3	Sting 75	2			Collinsville Pride	0-0-1	Belle Clair Select	2-4-0			Bethalto Express	3-3-0
25 and Older Women		Novacich Meat Market	2			Movies To Go	0-0-1	Terminator	1-4-2			O'Fallon Kicks	2-4-0
Slow Pokes	4	Our Old Team	5			Relleke Rebels	0-0-1	Aces	0-5-1			Lightning Bolts	2-4-0
Bud Light	4					Alton Optimist	0-1-0					No Name Blitz	2-4-0
Red Satin Sting	3					Blitz	0-0-1					Collinsville Pride	1-4-1
Helmar Construction	2					Wood River Spirits	0-0-1					Edwardsville Tigers	0-5-0
12 and Under Girls Jan. 3													
Untouchables	11												
Bowlers Ms. Kicks	1												
Ellsworth Concrete	7												
Honey Bees	3												
17 and Older Co-Ed													
Spanky's	4												
Hawks	1												
Networkers													
KBTA	1												
First Season													
Aint Chit	2												
Dying Cockroaches													
Rumblers	0												
10 and Under Boys Jan. 4													
Suess Express	1												
First Choice Tire	10												
McDonalds													
Morris	4												
10 and Under Boys													
Raiders	6												
Novacich	1												
Oakbrook	10												
Troy S.C.	3												
Hartman Realty													
Amvets	1												
Bethalto Eagles													
Belle Clair	1												
Hutton Ford													
Wildcats	6												

SportsBriefs

Ex-Warrior Tate helps Bucks to 4th

Sam Tate, a 1984 graduate of Granite City High School, recently completed his soccer career at Lewis and Clark Community College in Godfrey.

In two seasons, the Bucks qualified for the national junior college soccer playoffs and finished fourth in the nation this year with a record of 22-2.

A defender and one of three team captains, Tate helped the Bucks post 14 shutouts on the season, tying a school record.

In the national tournament in Princeton, New Jersey, Tate scored a goal in the fourth place game against Essex Community College of Baltimore. LCCC won the game 3-0. He also added two assists in the Bucks 7-3 win over Nassau Community of New York in the second round.

For his efforts, Tate was named to the all-regional team and the all-tournament squad. He was also voted by his teammates and coaches as the team's most valuable player in the national tournament.

GC Elks host 'Hoop Shoot' on Feb. 1

Local competition for the 14th annual Elks Hoop Shoot contest will be held at Grigsby Junior High School on Feb. 1 at 9 a.m.

The free throw shooting contest is for youngsters 8-13. Each contestant has 25 shots at the basket.

Local age group winners with the best score will advance to the district level Feb. 22 at the Vandalia Center on the campus of Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville.

Trojans

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nine kids that can play regularly. The Trojans seem to be recovered from the late December slump, although they have two more road games this week, Friday in Wellston (Mo.) and Saturday in Hillsboro.

"We talked a little about redemption," Watson said. "And we're getting to where we want to be."

For the game, the Trojans shot 53 percent (31-of-59) compared to 39 percent (22-of-56) for Bunker Hill.

Park baseball meetings are Jan. 16

The Granite City Park District will be holding an organizational meeting for the baseball leagues on Thursday, Jan. 16, at 7 p.m. at the Brown Recreation Center, Amos and Franklin Avenues, Granite City.

Covered at the meeting will be fees, general league information and discussion of rules. Since 1986 is the year to revise the rules, it is important for each team to be represented, as input from each manager or coach is appreciated.

Harold Brown and Steve Kessel will be in charge of the meeting, which is for old teams as well as new.

For more information, contact the Wilson Park Office at 877-3059. Anyone interested in coaching a baseball team should also attend the meeting or call the office, as there is always a need for managers. The office often has lists of names of boys

wanting to play, but no coach or manager is available.

Organizational meetings for park soccer Jan. 15

Meetings to organize indoor soccer leagues for both youth and adults in the Granite City Park District will be held Wednesday, Jan. 15.

The meetings will be held at 7 p.m. at the Harold Brown Recreation Center, Amos and Franklin Avenues in Granite City. Everyone is invited to attend.

League play will hopefully begin by April 1, according to Steve Kessel, director of parks and recreation.

Fishery set for rehabilitation
SPRINGFIELD — Springfield Lake, a 1,285-acre lake located in Tazewell

County, is due to undergo a major fish population rehabilitation on Mar. 18-20, 1986, funded by the Illinois Department of Conservation.

Currently divided into two lakes, North Spring Lake and South Spring Lake, the rehabilitation will consist of the application of rotenone to the 610-acre South Lake. In preparation for the rotenone application, a severe drawdown of water levels in the South Lake began one week after the end of the central zone waterfowl season.

BELLEVIEW AREA COLLEGE GRANITE CITY CAMPUS ATHLETE of the WEEK

Kely Anderson has been named Athlete of the Week for December 30 through January 5. Since there were no athletic contests this past week, the athlete of the week was selected on the basis of overall performance in the first semester.

Kely is a two-sport performer for the Stars. She was a starter and key player in the Stars' successful volleyball season. When the Granite City Campus started a women's basketball program this year, Kely volunteered her time to help initiate the new program. She has been, for two years, a key element in the developing athletic program at the college.

Kely is a 1984 graduate of Edwardsville High School.



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HERSHEY COCOA 8 oz.	2.09	2.19	2.19	2.39	2.19
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KRAFT GRATED PARMESAN 3 oz.	1.09	1.19	1.19	1.15	1.19

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BANQUET FRIED CHICKEN 2 lb.	2.99	4.39	3.18	3.29	3.29
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